

MEXICAN SITUATION BEFORE CABINET

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SEE LIVESTOCK CHANGE

Corn Crop Results in Holding Cattle and Marketing in Better Condition

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The shipment of shelled corn to the Twin City, Duluth and Chicago markets is one evidence of the tremendous increase of corn raising in western North Dakota, but the effect of the shift in farm industry in the state is evidenced also in livestock shipments on the division.

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Change Said General

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MAY REQUEST LAW CHANGE

Insurance Commissioner Considers Recommendation

Heavy losses sustained by the state insurance fund from schoolhouse fires may result in recommendations by Commissioner of Insurance S. A. Olmstead for a change in the law governing this department. According to Mr. Olmstead, there appears desirability of changing the law to provide for greater reimbursement of the poorer risks carried by the department.

Under the present law the insurance department reimburses schools in excess of \$100,000. These risks are chiefly larger public buildings on which the loss has not been great. The heaviest losses have been sustained in school house fires where losses range from \$10,000 to \$50,000. Many of them are frame buildings.

Mr. Olmstead may recommend, he said, that the law be changed so that risks similar to school house risks can be reinsured in private companies and the state assume a greater part of the so-called good risks.

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G. W. Stewart, publisher of the Wilton News, gave "Our Tribute to the 30-Year Men," and a reception was held in honor of editors who have been actively engaged in newspaper work in North Dakota for 30 years or more.

"Running a newspaper in the early days was fraught with many difficulties and the editor in many instances had to do it all himself," Stewart said.

"Thirty years ago there were between fifty and sixty newspapers published in the state; seven of these were dailies, including the Bismarck Tribune, the Argus and Forum at Fargo, the Herald and Platteville at Grand Forks, the Alert and Capital at Jamestown. There were very few cities of any size and the population was about 250,000. Today we boast of 700,000 people with many cities, metropolitan and up-to-date. The newspapers have grown in number, size and influence during the past thirty years until today they are among the best edited and most prosperous in the nation."

They Aided State

"You have carved a niche in the hall of fame. In spite of handicaps and difficulties encountered in a new country, you were among the optimists who in a large measure were responsible for guiding the destinies of the state during the early years of her statehood. To every line of type that you set there has been a spirit of faith which has helped to remove the mountains of adversity and overcome the obstacles of discouragement. This spirit dominating every effort for the upbuilding of the state has been the means of bringing North Dakota to the fore front and today we are reaping the reward of your heroic efforts."

"All honor to our pioneer newspaper men, may they be spared for many years to come and may their influence be felt through all time."

Seven editors and publishers were honored. They are: Walter Taylor, Lamoure; P. O. Thorsen, Grand Forks; G. C. Thompson, Pembina; H. H. Cray, Devils Lake; Witt Johnson, Bottineau; Sam Malmgren, Sharon; and C. E. Boyden, Fargo, formerly publisher of the Lisbon Free Press.

President's Address

The editors registered at the Fargo Commercial Club today. The program included invocation by Dean Cronley-Carroll, address of Welcome by Mayor H. W. Geary of Fargo, response by J. F. Bacon of Grand Forks, address of President Edward Sullivan of New Salem and report of the secretary, M. I. Forkner, of Langdon.

President Sullivan devoted much of his address to "shop talk" to the editors and publishers.

Among other things he advised his brother editors:

"If things lag a little, become a floor leader in your Commercial Club and put something across."

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POLAR FLIGHT BY SHENANDOAH HELD CERTAIN

Success of Giant Airship in Battling Storm Wins Over All Skeptics

OFFICER SEES SUCCESS

Believes That Airship Will Be Able to Make Polar Flight Successfully

Lakehurst, N. J., Jan. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Even the skeptics have been converted.

The Shenandoah's remarkable successful flight against one of the most severe gales that ever struck the Atlantic coast despite the fact that her nose was torn away and she was otherwise battered, has won for her the commendation of those naval officers who were inclined to doubt the practicability of ships of her type and size.

That battle of Wednesday night and early Thursday morning in 72-mile wind has convinced virtually every officer at the naval air station that the Shenandoah could successfully negotiate the planned trip to the North Pole.

Won't Halt Cruise

There was evident gratification when it was learned that Secretary of the Navy Denby and Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, chief of the naval bureau of aeronautics, had predicted that the accident to the Shenandoah would not prevent the proposed cruise.

Lieut. Commander M. R. Pierce, who was in command of the Shenandoah on her wild flight, said he did not believe any such gale as Wednesday night's would be encountered on a flight to the Arctic.

He pointed out that in flying to the Pole there would be chosen a season normally free from storms. Most officers at the station express the opinion unofficially that the ship could easily stand any wind that might strike her while she was in the north.

Nearly Hit Ground

Capt. Anton Heinen, German Zepelin expert, whose advice to those on board during the Shenandoah's runaway cruise largely was responsible for bringing her safe to port, already had expressed the opinion that the ship could weather any storm.

A fact that had not generally been known until last night was the topic of considerable gossip. This was the assertion that the Shenandoah when that one great gust of wind tore her from the mast started to rise again and only was about six feet from the earth when she started to rise again and float away.

Three officers, Capt. Heinen, Lieut. Commander Pierce and Lieut. E. H. Kincaid leaped for the levels that released the ballast, dumped out 5,000 pounds of water and thus averted an ignominious end for the pride of the navy. Had their instincts failed them the giant craft probably would have crashed to the ground in a huddled heap of wreckage.

GETS CLUE TO MISSING MEN

Escaped Convicts May Have Left Minot on Freight Train

Acting on a clue that Arthur Smith and William R. Burdman, who escaped from the state penitentiary here January 6, had left Minot Sunday on the Great Northern "Twin Cities" freight, Warden J. J. Lee of the prison sent out requests to officers along the great Northern and to Twin Cities police to be on the lookout for the escaped convicts. According to information received by the warden, the two men left Minot Sunday.

The clue, based on a "tip" which the warden hoped was authentic, was that the two convicts after escaping made their way west, north across country and caught the Great Northern into Minot from a little station west of there. They are said to have remained in Minot from Saturday night until sometime Sunday.

EXPRESS RATE CASE HELD UP

Washington, Jan. 18.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today temporarily held up its recent decision ordering a reduction in express rates on food.

Severely ill—yesterday—John J. Burdman, labor among the sick and poor has won the cross of the Legion of Honor for a venerable French nun, Sister Francis Xavier, now 83 years old.

PROPOGANDA TO BE PROBED BY SENATE BODY

Peace Plan to be First Phase of Inquiry Undertaken by Committee

MELTON TAXES NEXT

Senate Committee to Find Out if Effort is Made to Control Opinion

Washington, Jan. 18.—A sweeping investigation of general propaganda in the United States will be started Monday by a special senate committee with the Melton peace plan its first subject for study.

Propaganda dealing with the Melton tax program, the soldiers' bonus and other questions is expected to be considered later under the committee's authority to "investigate and report to the senate whether there is any organized effort being made to control public opinion and the action of Congress on legislative matters through propaganda or by the use of money by advertising or by the control of publicity."

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, introduced the resolution under which the inquiry is to be conducted.

New York, Jan. 18.—A report was made today on the first early returns in the "referendum" on the American Peace Award which began January 7th, and will last until approximately the middle of February.

Although many thousands of copies of the plan and ballot, shipped in response to orders, have necessarily not yet reached their destination, a good deal of vote has already been done through the ballots in the daily press. At the end of the first five days of the "referendum" the vote stands 5,128 against the plan and 18,529 for the plan. This is a percentage of approximately 11.34 per cent against, and 88.66 per cent for.

EMPLOYMENT OUTLOOK FAIR FOR THIS YEAR

U. S. Labor Office Makes Report in North Dakota For Ensuing Year

The outlook for labor demand in North Dakota in 1924 is considered "fair" by the United States Employment Service, in a booklet, comprising a special survey of 41 states, showing present employment conditions and the general industrial and agricultural prospects for 1924. Regarding North Dakota the survey says:

"There is some unemployment apparent in this state at the present time which, however, is due largely to the seasonal curtailment of many activities. The outlook for 1924 is considered fair, though the present indications are that the demand for skilled help will not be as great as during the past year. The building program of the past year has been practically completed, and it is thought there will be less activity in this line during the new year. The mining of lignite coal is increasing, with its subsequent effect on employment. The farmers of the state did not have a particularly encouraging year. Labor was scarce and cost of production great, and the outlook among the agriculturists is not bright unless conditions change materially."

The Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at noon today:

Temperature at 7 A. M. —12
Highest yesterday —11
Lowest yesterday —21
Lowest last night —12
Precipitation —T
Highest wind velocity —T

WEATHER FORECAST
For Bismarck and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Colder tonight.

For North Dakota: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Colder tonight south portion.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
The pressure is high over the northwestern Rocky Mountain region causing continued cold weather over the northwest while a low pressure area centered over Wyoming, Colorado and Utah is accompanied by warmer weather over that region. Light, scattered precipitation occurred at many places throughout the northern states.

ORRIS W. ROBERTS
Meteorologist

UTAH MAN, CONVICTED OF SLAYING WIFE, EXECUTED; CLAIMS INNOCENCE

Goes to Death Before Firing Squad Without Fear After Statement in Which He Reiterated Statements That He Did Not Commit Brutal Crime Alleged

Salt Lake City, Jan. 18.—Omer R. Woods, convicted wife murderer, was executed by a firing squad at the Utah state prison here at 8:17 o'clock this morning. He met his death calmly and protested his innocence to the end. The killing of Mrs. Woods occurred in an apartment house here January 9, 1923.

Execution was employed by Woods and his lawyers, but all failed. Woods' crime, that of slaying an invalid wife and then attempting to set fire to the bed upon which her body was reposing, is listed among the most gruesome crimes of the west and the evidence against Woods seemed so strong to members of the federal jury, to the supreme court, who reviewed the case and to the Governor who reviewed the board of pardons that each of these held Woods guilty.

"Fear is nothing to me," Woods said last night. "I am at peace with the world and will walk to my death with a firm step. I have only to regret that I must meet death in this manner, but I have nothing to fear. My wife knows I am innocent and when I meet her in the hereafter, if there is one, she will greet me with open arms."

"At this moment, the last few hours of my life on this earth, I am anxious to go to meet the judge who knows the heart of all men. I wish the people of Utah and the board of pardons might look into my heart as he will do and see that I am an innocent man."

ROPE BREAKS

Fort Madison, Ia., Jan. 18.—Roy Maupin, negro, was hanged at 7:30 a. m. today for the murder of Joe Hayes, Carnoy, Ia. miner. As the trap was sprung and Maupin dropped the rope broke midway between the noose and the knot which fastened it to the gallows and the body fell to the ground.

GOLD VALLEY TO HAVE LIBRARY

Beach, N. D., Jan. 17.—Golden Valley county is the first in the state to have a county library. This was made possible by citizens of Beach who moved the city public library into special quarters in the new Golden Valley Court house recently constructed here and in return for the rooms furnished will serve county taxpayers with library service.

ALL-COOLIDGE DELEGATION TO BE NOMINATED

"Real Republican" Committee in Fargo Decides on Mass Convention Feb. 14

Fargo, Jan. 18.—A state-wide convention of Republicans will be held in Bismarck on Thursday, February 14, under the call of Burleigh F. Spaulding and the "Real Republican State Committee."

A set of delegates to the Republican National convention to be held in Cleveland who are favorable to President Coolidge and who will go into the March 15 primary will be chosen at the convention.

The basis of apportionment for delegates to the convention to be held in Bismarck will be one delegate for each 400 votes cast for Governor at the last election. The convention probably will have 100 delegates.

L. R. Hanna, manager of the Coolidge campaign in the state, made a speech before the convention in which he advocated harmony and compromise. Mr. Hanna said that R. W. Frazier, chairman of the Republican state committee controlled by Nonpartisans, would return to Fargo and suggested that the factions should get together.

Resolutions Adopted

The following resolutions were adopted before the committee adjourned:

"We, the real republican state central committee in meeting assembled at Fargo this 17th day of January, 1924, do hereby reaffirm our belief in the necessity and efficiency of party government in National affairs."

"We do hereby affirm our allegiance to the time honored and tested principles and doctrines of the republican party. We deny the loyalty of any citizen to the principle of his party who works against its accepted policies. The Republican party cannot be properly represented by one who has not always been a true and loyal Republican."

We most earnestly deplore the untimely removal of our late President Warren G. Harding from the leadership of our Nation and our party and desire to express our ardent sense of appreciation of his services for the benefit of his country."

Indorse President Coolidge

"We heartily commend and indorse the administration of President Coolidge." (Continued on Page 3)

MEN JURORS HERE NOT LIKE THOSE IN PORTLAND, WOMEN JURORS SAY

Score one for the male jurors of Burleigh county.

They are a lot more courteous than the male jurors of Oregon. For while news dispatches reported that Mrs. George Peterson Weber, prominent Portland woman, severely criticized the male jurors for smoking and expectorating, and was executed by the judge Mrs. F. R. Smyth and Mrs. F. A. Lehr of Bismarck, who are serving on the panel of the present term of district court in Burleigh county, find things much different here.

"The men have been very courteous," Mrs. Lehr and Mrs. Smyth declared.

"There hasn't been any need for swearing," it was added, with reference to the dispatch which said that Mrs. Weber "swore like a trooper" in the Portland court room because of conditions.

PRESIDENT AND ADVISERS HOLD LONG MEETING

Situation Is Complicated By Blockade Announced For Tampico by Rebels

ASK TROOP PASSAGE

Mexican Government Wants To Transport Soldiers Across Texas

MAY SEND WARSHIPS

Washington, Jan. 18.—Indications are that warships may be sent to protect American interests at rebel blockaded Port of Tampico, were strengthened today when it became known that Secretary Denby of the Navy Department would make an announcement shortly on the subject. Pending issuance of a statement officials would not talk.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The situation in Mexico, complicated recently by declaration of a revolutionists blockade at Mexico, was considered by President Coolidge and his advisers today at one of the longest cabinet sessions in recent months.

There were indications that more active steps to protect American interests in the blockaded port were considered at the meeting but cabinet meetings said afterward that any announcement must come from the President. White House officials were silent.

REFUSES PERMISSION

Austin, Tex., Jan. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Permission to transport Mexican federal troops across Texas was refused by Acting Governor T. W. Davidson in a telegram to Secretary of State Hughes.

Possibility of trouble with Mexican residents of the Texas border prompted the refusal, the acting Governor said.

If the federal government showed that the demand for the passage of the troops is urgent and guarantees ample protection to Texas citizens the request will be reconsidered and every effort will be made by officials of Texas to cooperate with the national authorities, according to Mr. Davidson.

CREW GOES ASHORE

Washington, Jan. 18.—Part of the crew of the cruiser Tacoma, stranded on a reef near Vera Cruz, was put ashore yesterday, according to a message to the navy department.

The remainder of the crew and the commander were still on the ship last night.

The cruiser Richmond, ordered to the relief of the Tacoma, was expected to reach the scene today. She is to remain at Vera Cruz to perform the duty originally assigned to the Tacoma that of maintaining wireless communication between the port and the United States.

BOMBARD CITY

Tampico, Jan. 18.—Rebel gunboats bombarded the city and port of Tampico.

The news of the bombardment was received in a telephone message from the observer stationed at La Barra. The message said:

"Jesus M. Palma, chief of the coast guard at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, sighted the rebel gunboats Tampico and Sarango, which had prevented six ships from entering the port. The vessels were five tankers and the Dutch steamer Mandaw."

"The rebel gunboats fired four shots. The artillery stationed at the entrance to the port replied and forced the rebels to retire outside the range of the guns."

SEEKING LOAN

Mexico City, Jan. 17.—The Executive insists that negotiations are on foot for a loan of \$100,000,000 to the Mexican government to be delivered in four installments of \$25,000,000 each.

J. M. Buckner is named as the leading representative of the bankers in the United States interested in the deal and the newspaper says he is expected to come to Mexico City for a conference with government representatives.

Alberto Pani, secretary of the treasury, declined to deny or confirm the report.

WOMAN BURNED

Fargo, Jan. 18.—Mrs. O. Kruglin, 15 Hogan apartments, is recovering at her home from bad burns about the face, sustained late Tuesday when a broken bottle of vanilla which she threw into the furnace, exploded.

Mrs. Kruglin was baking a cake at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. O. Rusk, 313 Fifth St. N. when the vanilla bottle broke. She put the piece of bottle and the vanilla into a cup and threw it into the furnace, with the explosion resulting.

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There was evident gratification
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Lieut. Commander M. R. Pierce,
who was in command of the Shenan-
doah on her wild flight, said he did
not believe any such gale as Wednes-
day night's would be encountered on
a flight to the Arctic.

He pointed out that in flying to
the Pole there would be chosen a
season normally free from storms.
Most officers at the station expressed
the opinion unofficially that the
ship could easily stand any wind that
might strike her while she was in the
north.

Nearly Hit Ground

Capt. Anton Heinen, German Zep-
pelin expert, whose advice to these
on board during the Shenandoah's
runaway cruise largely was respon-
sible for bringing her safe to port,
already had expressed the opinion
that the ship could weather any storm.

A fact that had not generally been
known until last night was the topic
of considerable gossip. This was the
assertion that the Shenandoah when
that one great gust of wind tore her
from the mast started to rise again
and only was about six feet from the
earth when she started to rise again
and float away.

Three officers, Capt. Heinen, Lieut.
Commander Pierce and Lieut. E. H.
Kincaid leaped for the levels that
released the ballast, dumped out
5,000 pounds of water and thus aver-
ted an ignoble end for the pride of
the navy. Had their instincts failed
them the giant craft probably
would have crashed to the ground, a
huddled heap of wreckage.

GETS CLUE TO MISSING MEN

Escaped Convicts May Have
Left Minot on Freight
Train

Acting on a clue that Arthur
Smith and William R. Burghman, who
escaped from the state penitentiary
here January 6, had left Minot Sun-
day on the Great Northern "Twin
Cities" freight, Warden J. J. Lee of
the prison sent out requests to offi-
cers along the great Northern and to
Twin Cities police to be on the
lookout for the escaped convicts. Ac-
cording to information received by
the warden, the two men left Minot
Sunday.

The clue, based on a "tip" which
the warden hoped was authentic, was
that the two convicts after escaping
made their way west, north across
country and caught the Great North-
ern into Minot from a little state
west of there. They are said to
have remained in Minot from Sat-
urday night until sometime Sunday.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Lieut. Corlies
Hooven Griffiths has been taken out
of solitary confinement in a Ger-
man dungeon where he was sen-
tenced to serve a sentence of 15
months for the attempted kidnap-
ing of Grover Cleveland Bergdall,
according to word received here
by Dr. James Whitney Hall. The
American officer is now permitted
to have visitors, it was said.

Dr. Hall is chairman of a na-
tional committee which is working
for the release of Griffiths.

ELECTION WILL STAND

Washington, Jan. 18.—A house
elections committee unanimously
reported to the House today there
was "no good reason" for appoint-
ment of a committee to investi-
gate the election of Representa-
tive Edward H. Miller, Republican,
of the 22nd Illinois district, as de-
manded by Rep. Rainey, Democrat,
of Illinois.

PROPOGANDA TO BE PROBED BY SENATE BODY

Bok Peace Plan to Be First
Phase of Inquiry Under-
taken by Committee

MELLON TAXES NEXT

Senate Committee to Find
Out if Effort Is Made to
Control Opinion

Washington, Jan. 18.—A sweeping
investigation of general propaga-
nda in the United States will be started
Monday by a special senate com-
mittee with the Bok peace plan its first
subject for study.

Propaganda dealing with the Mel-
lon tax program, the soldiers' bonus
and other questions is expected to be
considered later under the com-
mittee's authority to "investigate and
report to the senate whether there
is any organized effort being made
to control public opinion and the ac-
tion of Congress on legislative mat-
ters through propaganda or by the
use of money by advertising or by
the control of publicity."

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri,
introduced the resolution under which
the inquiry is to be conducted.

New York, Jan. 18.—A report was
made today on the first early returns
in the "referendum" on the Ameri-
can Peace Award which began Janu-
ary 7th, and will last until approxi-
mately the middle of February.

Although many thousands of copies
of the plan and ballot, shipped in re-
sponse to orders, have necessarily
not yet reached their destination, a
good deal of voting has already been
done through the ballots in the daily
press. At the end of the first five
days of the "referendum" the vote
stands 5,128 against the plan and
38,629 for the plan. This is a per-
centage of approximately 11.34 per
cent against, and 88.66 per cent for.

EMPLOYMENT OUTLOOK FAIR FOR THIS YEAR

U. S. Labor Office Makes Re-
port in North Dakota For
Ensuing Year

The outlook for labor demand in
North Dakota in 1924 is considered
"fair" by the United States Employ-
ment Service, in a booklet compil-
ing a special survey of 44 states,
showing present employment condi-
tions and the general industrial and
agricultural prospects for 1924. Re-
garding North Dakota the survey
says:

"There is some unemployment ap-
parent in this state at the present
time, however, is due largely to
the seasonal employment of many
activities. The outlook for 1924 is
considered fair, though the present
indications are that the demand for
skilled help will not be as great as
during the past year. The building
program of the past year has been
practically completed, and it is
thought there will be less activity
in this line during the new year. The
mining of lignite coal is increasing,
with its subsequent effect on em-
ployment. The farmers of the state
did not have a particularly encour-
aging year. Labor was scarce and
cost of production great, and the out-
look among the agriculturists is not
bright unless conditions change ma-
terially."

The Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at
noon today.
Temperature at 7 A. M. -12
Highest yesterday -11
Lowest yesterday -21
Lowest last night -12
Precipitation T
Highest wind velocity 12

WEATHER FORECAST
For Bismarck and vicinity: Gen-
erally fair tonight and Saturday.
Colder tonight.
For North Dakota: Generally fair
tonight and Saturday. Colder to-
night south portion.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
The pressure is high over the
northwestern Rocky Mountain region
causing continued cold weather over
the northwest while a low pressure
area centered over Wyoming, Colo-
rado and Utah is accompanied by
warmer weather over that region.
Light, scattered precipitation oc-
curred at many places throughout
the northern states.

ORRIS W. ROBERTS,
Meteorologist.

A beekeeper in Ontario has ob-
tained a ton of honey from 31 hives
in less than a year's time.

American industries used 80,000,
000 cubic feet of gas in 1922.

UTAH MAN, CONVICTED OF SLAYING WIFE, EXECUTED; CLAIMS INNOCENCE

Goes to Death Before Firing Squad Without Fear After
Statement in Which He Reiterated Statements That
He Did Not Commit Brutal Crime Alleged

Salt Lake City, Jan. 18.—Omer R.
Woods, convicted murderer, was
executed by a firing squad at the
Utah state prison here at 8:17
o'clock this morning. He met death
calmly and protested his innocence
to the end. The killing of Mrs.
Woods occurred in an apartment
house here January 9, 1922.

Woods was employed by Woods
and his lawyers, but all failed.
Woods' crime, that of slaying an in-
valid wife and then attempting to
set fire to the hotel upon which her
body was reposing, is listed among
the most gruesome crimes of the
west and the evidence against Woods
seemed so strong to members of the
federal jury, to the supreme court
who reviewed the case and to the
Governor who reviewed the board of
pardons that each of these held Woods
guilty.

"Fear is nothing to me," Woods
said last night. "I am at peace with
the world and will walk to my death
with a firm step. I have only to re-
gret that I must meet death in this
manner, but I have nothing to fear.
My wife knows I am innocent and
when I meet her in the hereafter, if
there is one, she will greet me with
open arms."

ROPE BREAKS

Fort Madison, Ia., Jan. 18.—Roy
Maupin, negro, was hanged at 7:26
a. m. today for the murder of Joe
Hayes, Carney, Ia., miner. As the
trap was sprung and Maupin drop-
ped the rope broke midway between
the noose and the knot which fas-
tened it to the gallows and the body
fell to the ground.

GOLD VALLEY TO HAVE LIBRARY

Beach, N. D., Jan. 17.—Golden Val-
ley county is the first in the state to
have a county library. This was
made possible by citizens of Beach
who moved the city public library
into special quarters in the new Golden
Valley Court house recently con-
structed here and in return for the
rooms furnished will serve county
taxpayers with library service.

INSURGENTS FAIL TO WIN RULES FIGHT

Plan to Cut Number of Peti-
tioners to Discharge
Committees Fails

STILL STRUGGLING
Ways and Means Committee
Continues Its Hearings on
Mellon Tax Bill

Washington, Jan. 18.—The house
struggled again today with the pro-
posed new rule to enable members
by petition to institute proceedings
for the discharge of committees from
the consideration of legislation after
failing twice yesterday to fix the
number of petitioners to be required.
Each of the contending groups in
the rules revision battle—the organ-
ization Republicans and the combined
Democratic and Republican insur-
gent forces—was victorious yester-
day the former losing on a proposal
by Rep. Graham, Republican, Illi-
nois, that the names of at least half
the house membership be required on
such petitions but succeeding short-
ly afterwards in defeating an effort
to place the number at 100.

This left the rules committee's
recommendation of 150 signatures
around which the fight is centered in
the position of a compromise propo-
sition when the debate was resumed
today.

CALL EXPERTS

Washington, Jan. 18.—With the
end of its hearings on revision of
the revenue act in sight the house
ways and means committee today
called upon treasury experts to ex-
plain the government's financial
needs for next year and also her
appeals for cuts in the rates af-
fecting various interests.

The committee is planning to be-
gin work on the rate sections of its
new bill next week.

Time has been allotted at today's
session of the hearing to representa-
tives of several organizations, includ-
ing the American Bankers' league
which has endorsed the Mellon pro-
posals.

MEN JURORS HERE NOT LIKE THOSE IN PORTLAND, WOMEN JURORS SAY

Score one for the male jurors of
Burleigh county.
They are a lot more courteous than
the male jurors of Oregon. For
while news dispatches reported that
Mrs. Louise Palmer Weber, promi-
nent Portland woman, severely criti-
cized the male jurors for smoking
and expectorating, and was excused
by the judge, Mrs. F. R. Smyth and
Mrs. F. A. Lahr of Bismarck, who
are serving on the panel of the
present term of district court in
Burleigh county, find things much
different here.

"The men have been very cour-
teous," both Mrs. Lahr and Mrs.
Smyth declared.

"There hasn't been any need for
swearing," it was added, with re-
ference to the dispatch which said
that Mrs. Weber "swore like a

PRESIDENT AND ADVISERS HOLD LONG MEETING

Situation Is Complicated By
Blockade Announced For
Tampico by Rebels

ASK TROOP PASSAGE

Mexican Government Wants
To Transport Soldiers
Across Texas

MAY SEND WARSHIPS

Washington, Jan. 18.—Indications are that war-
ships may be sent to pro-
tect American interests
at rebel blockaded Port
of Tampico, were
strengthened today when
it became known that
Secretary Denby of the
Navy Department would
make an announcement
shortly on the subject.
Pending issuance of a
statement officials would
not talk.

ALL-COOLIDGE DELEGATION TO BE NOMINATED

"Real Republican" Committee
in Fargo Decides on Mass
Convention Feb. 14

REJECT COMPROMISE

Will Not Confer with R. W.
Frazier in Effort to Secure
Harmony, Decision

Fargo, Jan. 18.—A state-wide con-
vention of Republicans will be held
in Bismarck on Thursday, February
14, under the call of Burleigh E.
Spalding and the "Real Republican
State Committee."

A set of delegates to the Republi-
can National convention to be held
in Cleveland who are favorable to
President Coolidge and who will go
into the March 18 primary will be
chosen at the convention.

The basis of apportionment for
delegates to the convention to be
held in Bismarck will be one dele-
gate for each 400 votes cast for
Governor at the last election. The
convention probably will have 300
delegates.

L. B. Hanna, manager of the Cool-
idge campaign in the state, made a
speech before the convention in
which he advocated harmony and
compromise. Mr. Hanna said that
R. W. Frazier, chairman of the Re-
publican state committee controlled
by Nonpartisans, would return to
Fargo and suggested that the fac-
tions should get together.

The following resolutions were
adopted before the committee ad-
journed:
"We, the real republican state cen-
tral committee, in meeting assembled
at Fargo this 17th day of January,
1924, do hereby reaffirm our belief in
the necessity and efficiency of party
government in National affairs."

"We do hereby affirm our al-
legiance to the time honored and
tested principles and doctrines of
the republican party. We deny the
loyalty of any citizen to the prin-
ciple of his party who works against
its accepted policies. The Republi-
can party cannot be properly rep-
resented on its National committee
by one who has not always been a
true and loyal Republican."

"We most earnestly deplore the
untimely removal of our late Presi-
dent Warren G. Harding from the
leadership of our Nation and our
party and desire to express our great
sense of appreciation of his services
for the benefit of all mankind."
Indorse President Coolidge
"We heartily commend and indorse
the administration of President Cal-
vin Coolidge."
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SEEKING LOAN

Mexico City, Jan. 17.—The Exce-
lsior insists that negotiations are on
foot for a loan of \$100,000,000 to the
Mexican government to be delivered
in four installments of \$25,000,000
each. J. M. Buckner is named as
the leading representative of the
bankers in the United States inter-
ested in the deal and the newspapers
say he is expected to come to Mex-
ico City for a conference with gov-
ernment representatives.

Alberto Pini, secretary of the
treasury, declined to deny or confirm
the report.

WOMAN BURNED

Fargo, Jan. 18.—Mrs. O. Kraglin
15 Hogan apartments, is recovering
from her home from bad burns about
the face, sustained late Tuesday
when a broken bottle of vanilla
which she threw into the furnace, ex-
ploded.

Mrs. Kraglin was baking a cake at
the home of her mother, Mrs. H. O.
Rask, 313 Fifth St. N., when the va-
nilla bottle broke. She put the pieces
of bottle and the vanilla into a cup
and threw it into the furnace, with
the explosion resulting.

COLD WEATHER, LACK OF SNOW, HITS GRAINS

Winter Grains Without Adequate Covering in Some Sections of N. D.

Much colder weather accompanied by snow set in over the spring wheat region at the beginning of the month, the low temperatures finding much of the area of winter grains in the Dakotas without sufficient snow cover and some damage being reported to winter rye from places in North Dakota. Otherwise winter grains are reported in fair to good condition, according to reports received by J. G. Diamond, agricultural statistician for the federal division of crop and livestock estimates.

Farm work throughout the four states has dropped to a winter minimum as a result of the cold weather. South Dakota reports some corn coming to market and a considerable movement of hogs. Montana reports most of the marketable wheat having been hauled in the eastern half of the state, but a larger proportion than usual for this section still on farms in central and south central sections. Wheat marketing is reported as having been somewhat heavier than usual in Minnesota with movement of other grains except corn also heavy. In North Dakota wheat reserves on farms appear to be much lighter than usual due to heavy liquidation demands on farmers with many counties indicating only seed reserves. All four states indicate sufficient supplies of feed and roughage for the winter needs of livestock, the earlier mild weather in the range sections of the Dakotas and Montana greatly cutting down the early winter feed requirements. Livestock throughout the region continues to be reported in a very satisfactory condition of health and flesh.

Movement of the potato crop has been largely a matter of weather and market prices although in Minnesota and the Dakotas a larger percentage of the crop has moved to date than was the case last season, the three states up to January 5 having shipped 29,179 cars compared with 23,940 during a similar period last season. Most of the Montana apple crop is reported shipped.

J. G. DIAMOND,
Agricultural Statistician.

ALL-COOLIDGE DELEGATION TO BE NOMINATED

(Continued from Page 1)
vin Coolidge and particularly his sincere interest in improving the condition of the American farmer. We believe in the Republican principle of the protective tariff and demand that adequate protection be given to the Northwestern farmer on grain, flax and cattle and recommend legislation revision of the so-called drawback provision. We earnestly recommend that Republican representatives in Congress stand together to further the policies of the administration. We particularly advise and commend in the straightforward manner of the late President Coolidge recently submitted by the President to Congress. We especially approve the tax reduction program which he advocates.

The endorsement of candidates for public office according to correct Republican principles should be made by a truly representative state-wide convention in which every citizen has the opportunity to make his influence felt. It cannot properly be done by the minority of a small hand-picked committee.

Committee Named
The resolutions committee is composed of A. W. Fowler, J. D. Bacon, A. B. Jackson, Jr., M. L. McBride and A. J. Schutt. The committee on convention call has L. L. Twichell for chairman, the other two members being E. A. Tustevian and H. P. Goddard.

The vote was preceded by less than two hours of discussion which was opened with a statement by Chairman Spalding on what had transpired during the negotiations carried on by Chairman Roy W. Frazier of the League controlled central committee and Judge Olson and others with himself. Mr. Spalding declared that he had made no concessions, for compromise during these conferences but that all had come from Mr. Frazier.

Frazier Makes Proposal
According to Judge Spalding Mr. Frazier came to him before the now famous Bismarck meeting of the League Republican central committee and moved that an agreement be entered into between the various factions whereby Frazier would name four candidates to the delegate ticket. Judge Spalding four and Gunder Olson four. Judge Spalding told the committee that his answer to Frazier was that he had no authority to enter into such an agreement but would have to take it up with the committee.

Mr. Frazier then left and Judge Spalding took the matter up with the writers of his faction. He was to write Frazier of the decision but immediately after this letter had been posted Frazier called the Bismarck meeting. Judge Spalding said: "Concerning the negotiations carried on this week, in Fargo, Mr. Frazier, Judge Spalding said, had ahead as we have done heretofore, Bismarck meeting if a new delegate state convention be called by a committee named as follows: Spalding, Frazier, three by Judge Olson.

FAMOUS ED WYNN COMING HERE IN SHOW OF MIRTH, MUSIC AND GIRLS



ED WYNN AS A FUN-MAKER.

Those of the good old general public who feel their existence on this terrestrial sphere is too dourly devoid of hilarity can take heart, for it is announced that A. L. Erlanger in association with B. C. Whitney, will present Ed Wynn, "The Perfect Fool" in a new musical delight at the Auditorium theatre, for one performance only, Friday night, January 25th.

The new production will be distinctively Ed Wynn from beginning to end, for the star not only wrote the lyrics and music but he also thought up the jokes, picked out the performers, and arranged the order of the scenes, of which there will be nineteen divided into two acts.

And then, by way of fair measure, Wynn himself will contribute a lot of new stunts entirely different from those he has done in the past and, in addition, for the first time in his historic career he will sing and exhibit his skill as an acrobatic dancer. This latter stunt, incidentally, is a side line which the comedian long

has been holding out, for it is a talent that very few of his intimate friends ever have suspected he possessed. Wynn did not paint the scenery exactly; but he did tell the artists just what he wanted and he turned over the direction of the dance numbers to Julian Mitchell. Antonio Bajano will again wield the baton for "The Perfect Fool" and augmented orchestra.

Besides Ed Wynn, the principals include Flo Newton, Nydia D'Amore, Time Laces, Johnny Dots, Arthur F. Burdell, Cass Hart, "That Girl Quar," which comprised Harriette Hayes, Lauretta Ferrari, Ray Kirkwood and Jeanette Fielding. The Maykos—a clever juvenile trio are introduced effectively in new surprises, and the principal dancers will be Estelle Penning, Anita Furman, Edna Hamel, Gracie Russell, Betty Barclay, Olive Birmingham, Arvis Smith, Edna Terry, Jess Fitzgerald, and Wynn's Wynn-ing. Wynn—some ensemble of charm and distinction, including the "Sixteen Dancing Beauties" of American beauties.

Tuesday from the Catholic church, the services being held at the same time and place that had been planned for the proposed wedding.

FALL DEFENDS U. S. OIL DEALS

New Orleans, Jan. 17.—"Malicious

statements regarding his alleged pecuniary interest in the leasing of navy oil land to the Sinclair interest."

Mr. Fall, who arrived here yesterday from Florida, expects to remain in the city until the first of next week.

Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, who is leading in this senseless attack, has shot his shaft against the repeatedly before the oil matter came up, Mr. Fall said.

Throughout the six months that the law has been in effect the daily revenue yielded to the state has been approximately \$700, the last five days of December yielding \$5,008.80. The entire yield for the month of December was \$15,291. The tax is two cents on each package of 20 or 15 cent cigarettes, 3 cents on 25 cent cigarettes and scales upward.

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January Clearance

CONTINUING OUR JANUARY SALE OF COATS AND DRESSES.

COATS
10⁵⁰ 14⁵⁰
21⁵⁰ 35⁰⁰

DRESSES
7⁹⁵ 15⁰⁰ 27⁵⁰

A SPECIAL GROUP OF AFTER-NOON AND EVENING DRESSES AT—HALF PRICE.

Winter Millinery
\$1.95

Blouses
Clearance at **\$3.75**
and 1/2 price.

Sweaters
\$4.95 and \$2.95

Outing Gowns **\$1.29**

Children's Coats
1/2 price.

Cretonnes
Remnants of curtain net and cretonnes Clearance 1/2 price.

Coverall Aprons **69c**

Dress Goods
Skirt lengths 1/2 price.

Corsets
\$1.00 and \$2.48

Brassiers
39c

Webb Brothers

CIGARETTE TAX YIELDS MUCH

Pierre, Jan. 17.—Since the cigarette tax law went into effect on July 1, last, until the end of the year, the state of South Dakota has reaped a return of \$115,442.31, according to figures made public by State Treasurer Driscoll whose office is the administering department of the tax act.

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BOTTLERS TO HOLD MEETING

Devils Lake, Jan. 18.—The annual convention of the North Dakota Bottlers association will be held at Devils Lake next Tuesday and Wednesday, January 22 and 23, at the Hotel Grayson, although it is probable that the business sessions will

be held in the City commission room, City Hall. The banquet Tuesday night will be held at the Grayson and before the banquet a concert will be given by the benefit of the delegates in the rear dining room of the Great Northern hotel by the Governor's Boy Concert band of this city.

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COLD WEATHER, LACK OF SNOW, HITS GRAINS

Winter Grains Without Adequate Covering in Some Sections of N. D.

Much colder weather accompanied by snows set in over the spring wheat region at the beginning of the month, the low temperatures finding much of the area of winter grains in the Dakotas without sufficient snow cover and some damage being reported to winter rye from places in North Dakota. Otherwise winter grains are reported in fair to good condition, according to reports received by J. G. Diamond, agricultural statistician for the federal division of crop and livestock estimates.

Farm work throughout the four states has dropped to a winter minimum as a result of the cold weather. South Dakota reports some corn going to market and a considerable movement of hogs. Montana reports most of the marketable wheat having been hauled in the eastern half of the state, but a larger proportion than usual for this section still on farms in central and south central sections. Wheat marketing is reported as having been somewhat heavier than usual in Minnesota with movement of other grains except corn also heavy. In North Dakota wheat reserves on farms appear to be much lighter than usual due to heavy liquidation demands on farmers with many counties indicating only seed reserves. All four states indicate sufficient supplies of feed and roughage for the winter needs of livestock, the earlier mild weather in the range sections of the Dakotas and Montana greatly cutting down the early winter feed requirements. Livestock throughout the region continues to be reported in a very satisfactory condition of health and flesh.

Movement of the potato crop has been largely a matter of weather and market prices although in Minnesota and the Dakotas a larger percentage of the crop has moved to date than was the case last season, the three states up to January 5 having shipped 29,179 cars compared with 25,940 during a similar period last season. Most of the Montana apple crop is reported shipped.

J. G. DIAMOND,
Agricultural Statistician.

ALL-COOLIDGE DELEGATION TO BE NOMINATED

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vin Coolidge and particularly his sincere interest in improving the condition of the American farmer. We believe in the Republican principle of the protective tariff and demand that adequate protection be given to the Northwestern farmer on grain, flax and cattle and recommend legislation revision of the so-called drawback provision. We earnestly recommend that Republican representatives in Congress stand together to further the policies of the administration. We particularly admire and commend the straightforward and comprehensive and courageous measure recently submitted by the President to Congress. We especially approve the tax reduction program which he advocates.

"The endorsement of candidates for public office according to correct Republican principles should be made by a truly representative state-wide convention in which each citizen has the opportunity to make his influence felt. It cannot properly be done by the minority of a small hand-picked committee."

Committees Named
The resolutions committee is composed of A. W. Fowler, J. D. Bacon, A. B. Jackson, Jr., M. L. McBride and J. J. Schutt. The committee on convention call has L. L. Twichell for chairman, the other two members being E. A. Tostevin and H. P. Goddard.

The vote was preceded by less than two hours of discussion which was opened with a statement by Chairman Spalding on what had transpired during the negotiations carried on by Chairman Roy W. Frazier of the League controlled central committee and Gunder Olson and others with himself. Mr. Spalding declared that he had made no propositions for compromises during these conferences but that all had come from Mr. Frazier.

Frazier Makes Proposal.
According to Judge Spalding, Mr. Frazier came to him before the now famous Bismarck meeting of the League Republican central committee and proposed that an agreement be entered into between the various factions whereby Frazier would name four candidates to the delegate ticket, Judge Spalding four and Gunder Olson four. Judge Spalding told the committee that his answer to Frazier was that he had no authority to enter into such an agreement but would have to take it up with the committee.

Mr. Frazier then left and Judge Spalding took the matter up with the leaders of his faction. He was to write Frazier of the decision but immediately after this letter had been posted Frazier called the Bismarck meeting, Judge Spalding said.

Concerning the negotiations carried on this week, in Fargo, Mr. Frazier, Judge Spalding said, had ahead as we have done heretofore, Bismarck meeting if a new delegate state convention be called by a committee named as follows: Three by Frazier, three by Judge Spalding and three by Gunder Olson.

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ED WYNN AS A FUN-MAKER.

Those of the good old general public who feel their existence on this terrestrial sphere is too dourly devoid of hilarity can take heart, for it is announced that A. L. Erlanger in association with B. C. Whitney, will present Ed. Wynn, "The Perfect Fool" in a new musical delight at the Auditorium theater, for one performance only, Friday night, January 25th.

The new production will be distinctively Ed Wynn from beginning to end, for the star not only wrote the lyrics and music but he also thought up the jokes, picked out the performers, and arranged the order of the scenes, of which there will be nineteen divided into two acts.

And then, by way of fair measure, Wynn himself will contribute a lot of new stunts entirely different from those he has done in the past and, in addition, for the first time in his historic career he will sing and exhibit his skill as an acrobatic dancer. This latter stunt, incidentally, is a side line which the comedian long

"This is the situation now and it is up to this committee to decide whether we are to enter into such an arrangement or keep straight ahead as we have done heretofore," concluded Judge Spalding.

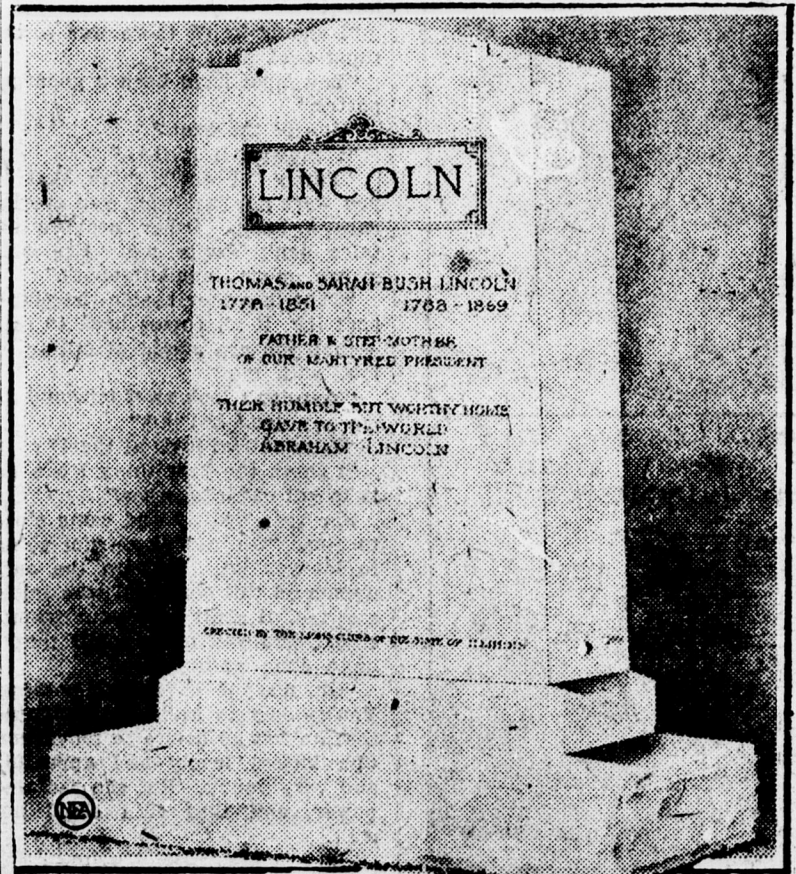
SUICIDES TWO DAYS BEFORE WEDDING DATE

Linton, N. D., Jan. 18.—Anton Schneider, 21 years of age, living with his widowed mother two miles south of Linton committed suicide Saturday night by drinking a dose of Paris Green mixed with water. It is reported that the young man drank the poison about supper time, and that the family rushed him to Linton for medical help. Dr. Hogue worked over him most of the night, but he died a few hours later.

Deceased was to have been married last Tuesday to Mary Senger, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Senger, and relatives had already arrived for the wedding. The father of the deceased, Wendell Schneider, was killed two years ago as a result of an accidental gunshot wound.

Seven sisters and two brothers, in addition to the widowed mother are left to mourn the loss of deceased. Since the death of the father, he had been in charge of the farm. He was born on Aug. 17, 1902, and died Jan. 13, 1924. The funeral was held

NO LONGER FORGOTTEN



Illinois' shame for years has been the neglected condition of the graves at Jancsville of the father and stepmother of Abraham Lincoln. So the Lincens club of Illinois have erected this monument over the graves and will see to it henceforth that the spot is not neglected. The monument will be dedicated on Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12.

January Clearance

CONTINUING OUR JANUARY SALE OF COATS AND DRESSES.

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Dress Goods
Skirt lengths 1/2 price.
Corsets
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Brassiers
39c

Webb Brothers

CIGARETTE TAX YIELDS MUCH

Pierre, Jan. 17.—Since the cigarette tax law went into effect on July 1, last, until the end of the year, the state of South Dakota has reaped a return of \$115,143.31, according to figures made public by State Treasurer Driscoll whose office is the administering department of the tax act.

Throughout the six months that the law has been in effect the daily revenue yielded to the state has been approximately \$700, the last five days of December yielding \$5,608.80. The entire yield for the month of December was \$15,294. The tax is two cents on each package of 20 or 15 cent cigarettes, 3 cents on 25 cent cigarettes and scales upward.

BOTTLERS TO HOLD MEETING

Devils Lake, Jan. 18.—The annual convention of the North Dakota Bottlers association will be held in Devils Lake next Tuesday and Wednesday, January 22 and 23, at the Hotel Grayson, although it is probable that the business sessions will

Is Holding His Own

"Ten years ago I received such wonderful help from your medicine for my stomach trouble that I have recommended it to hundreds of other sufferers. Recently a friend of mine whose brother in a distant city was stricken with acute indigestion and was not expected to live, got his brother to take a bottle on my advice. I have just received word that his brother was holding his own, and I am confident that Marx's Wonderful Remedy will entirely restore him." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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be held in the City commission room, City Hall. The banquet Tuesday night will be held at the Grayson and before the banquet a concert will be given for the benefit of the delegates in the rear dining room of the Great Northern hotel by the Governor's Boy Concert band of this city.

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16 BASKETBALL TEAMS IN H. S.

Record Number to Play Game Under League Plan

Sixteen basketball teams will comprise the high school league, being worked out by Edgar Houser, athletic coach. When the high school league is under way more than 125 boys will be playing basketball and every school in the city will have a basketball team.

There will be ten teams in one league and six in another, in addition to the regular first squad of the high school. There will be distinct class teams among the number, and other teams will be picked without reference to classes.

Development of the younger players of the high school is sought especially in the league.

Editors, Gathering In Fargo, Pay Tribute To '30-Year Men'

(Continued from Page 1)

"I believe that the New Salem Journal, my paper, has a mission to perform in the black and white community."

He on "the level" with your community.

"It is time we got away from 'snuffy' stories and articles about the poor newspaper man. Never permit anything in your newspaper that carries the idea that your newspaper is not a business institution, doing business on a strictly business basis."

Support the 30-year-plus campaign with the idea of securing more raising of corn and a bigger and better diversification. Support the Coulter \$50,000,000 loan bill.

Regarding the Union label law, which requires the union label on state printing, Mr. Sullivan said the association had gone on record asking that the law be tested. Counsel has advised that the law is unconstitutional but there must be a test case first. This probably will be in the future, he said.

The editors will be in session also tomorrow. On Saturday, Minnesota editors will join the North Dakotans.

Farmer Found Strangled Under Overturned Auto

Washburn, N. D., Jan. 17.—Alexander Singer, 31 years old, farmer in the vicinity of Washburn, was found strangled to death and Robert Warner, 21 years old, found lying helplessly Sunday morning under their overturned Ford car, who were returning from a business trip to Mercer.

The boys who made the discovery were Archie Nelson, Martin Ness and Ole Olson. The accident happened on a grade just a few miles out of Mercer, and when the boys got to the car, it was lying upside down in the ditch. They immediately saw that a body was under the car and as quickly as possible they turned the car over and then found the bodies of Mr. Singer and the 10-year-old lad who was pinned under him. Mr. Singer was lying cross-ways of the front seat and the weight of the car, which had the top down, had slowly strangled him to death, for the face of the man laid turned a deep black. The body of the dead man had held the car more or less off the boy, but the lad's legs were pinned under the body and he was unable to escape until help came.

The boys on questioning the lad found that Henry Geske had passed by the car a few minutes before, but was unable to turn the car over, and had gone into Mercer to get help. A few minutes after the boys had arrived on the scene Geske returned with a bunch of men from Mercer.

ICE CARNIVAL

Fargo, Jan. 18.—Fargo's annual ice carnival, postponed from the usual New Year date because of unfavorable weather conditions, will be held on Saturday, Jan. 26 on the Island Park rink. Roy L. Humphreys, boys secretary and physical director of the Y. M. C. A., announced.

The occasion will consist of 15 speed skating events, during the day and a masquerade and carnival at night.

MOTHER!

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Harry Mother! Even constipated children, feeble, or sick, colic babies and children love to take genuine California Fig Syrup. No other laxative regulates the tender bowels so nicely. It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels without causing pain, no nausea or soothing drugs. See "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits. Inset upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.

143 Divorces in Four Days in Rhode Island Divorce Mill!



MINTA DUFFEE, WHO SECURED DIVORCE FROM "FATTY" ARBUCKLE IN RHODE ISLAND. NINA WILCOX PUTNAM, NOTED AUTHOR, WHOSE DIVORCE PETITION IS PENDING. PEARL WHITE, FILM STAR, WHO IS REPORTED TO HAVE ESTABLISHED RESIDENCE IN RHODE ISLAND.

BY ALEXANDER HERMAN, NFA Service Staff Writer

Providence, R. I., Jan. 18.—Rhode Island, small as it is, seems ready to back any state off the map as the divorce-seekers' paradise.

It has already established itself indisputably as the Reno of the East. And now it is attracting a large number of western stage and film folk, bent on an easy divorce.

Minta Duffee, wife of "Fatty" Arbuckle, got her divorce here recently. So did Mrs. Lowell Sherman, wife of the stage and screen star.

Pearl White is reported to have established residence here, although her representatives say she is now in Paris.

In the first four days of the new session of the Superior Court, 161 petitions for divorce were heard, of which 143 were granted immediately and 18 were held up for later decision.

Among the latter was the case of Nina Wilcox Putnam, noted author, whose petition for divorce from Robert J. Sanderon, was first granted, and then vacated, when charges were made that she hadn't been a resident of the state for the required two years.

Divorce Easy

It was the spotlight of publicity

State officials, court justices and leading lawyers in this city shrug their shoulders when asked about the mill.

"There have been intimations of a crooked ring trying to put over easy divorces," says Superior Court Justice Chester W. Barrows, who heard the Nina Wilcox Putnam case. "But there has been nothing more."

"If ever these intimations crystallize, this court will be one of the first to take action. The difficulties that arise in this state are the difficulties that arise in any state. If a person is going to be crooked in his dealing, he probably can beat any law in the land."

"Perhaps the grounds for divorce are more numerous in Rhode Island than in most other states. And maybe that's why divorce here is supposed to be easier."

Uniform Law Needed

Would a uniform divorce law throughout the country help remedy the situation?

"Of course it would," Justice Barrows went on. "But I think that such a law would be difficult to enact. For the causes of divorce are so different in so many states that it seems almost impossible to get all states to agree on one law."

"Look at South Carolina without any grounds for divorce at all!" Carpenter, attorney general of the state, believes that part of the laxity is due to the courts.

"The courts," he says, "do not scrutinize cases thoroughly enough. They should be more rigid in determining the residence period."

"As to the Divorce Ring—all we can do about it now is wonder."

One of the leading attorneys handling divorce matters is Francis P. Dougherty.

Courts Crowded

"I guess I handle more cases than any lawyer in the state," he said. "Among them were the Mrs. Arbuckle and the Lowell Sherman cases."

"Sometimes I have handled 20 of them in less than one hour."

"I do not think that the divorce law is any more lax in Rhode Island than it is in most other states."

"Sometimes the calendar seems crowded with such actions. But that is because the court lets the cases pile up for long periods and then cleans them all out about four times a year."

"As for the talk about a Ring—it is only talk, as far as I know."

But whether it is only talk, it is such talk that is lending momentum to the movement started in Washington to get a uniform marriage and divorce law throughout the country.

COMPANY "A" CASE AGAIN TRIED HERE

Eleven Jurors Agreed on By Parties in Personal Property Conversion Case

TRIAL of the case of Company A, National Guard Training School, Bismarck, against E. A. Hughes for damages for alleged conversion of personal property which was in the old armory when the National Guard company was mustered into service for the World War opened today in district court. Judge Charles E. Wolfe of Wahpeton is presiding, the defendant having filed an affidavit of prejudice against Judge James A. Coffey.

The case was tried once before in district court here, and Company A was given a verdict of \$6,000 against Mr. Hughes. The latter appealed the case to the supreme court. The majority of the court held that conversion of property was established and the verdict was proper in this respect, but that the testimony of officers of the guard with reference to the value of various articles alleged to have been taken was not proper as "expert testimony" and sent the case back for a new trial.

Particular emphasis is expected to be devoted in the present case to the question of the value of the property. E. A. Hughes was the first witness, being called under the statute for cross examination.

A considerable time was taken in the selection of a jury. The case opened with a brief statement by Theodore Koffel, an attorney for Company A, and examination of jurors followed. The panel was exhausted and both sides agreed to a trial with 11 jurors. Under a new law five-sixths of a jury of 12, or 10 members, can render a verdict in a civil case after being out 12 hours.

Members of the jury are: L. B. Olson, Andrew Nelson, John Barbie, Wm. Peterson, Thos. Hanlon, Bert Glanville, Lawrence Backman, Charles Berger, Mick Yochim, Hugo Solberg, F. H. Schroeder.

Yesterday the case of J. E. Baker against J. E. Tierney was settled, and a jury returned a verdict in favor of the estate of Lydie Koffel against Oliver Christopherson, as garnishee, for \$11,115.45 with interest from June 10, 1922, on a note.

COUNTIES PLAN JOINT ROAD.

Wishak, N. D., Jan. 18.—Joint construction of a 43-mile federal aid

ADVISORY BOARD MEETING SET

Minot, Jan. 18.—The Northern Regional Advisory Board, consisting of railroad executives and business leaders of the state, will meet in Minot on March 18, having accepted an invitation to do so by the Minot Association of Commerce, the local civic organization was notified today. It is expected that the meeting will bring approximately 100 business men and railroad officials to the city on that date. At the present time the board is meeting in Minneapolis. Transportation problems are among the subjects considered as paramount issues for the board's consideration.

PHOTOGRAPHS MT. WHITNEY

Stanley, N. D., Jan. 18.—How a snowman of Furber Rice of this city, Lieutenant George K. Rice, recently assisted in securing the first photo of America's highest mountain peak, Mt. Whitney in southern California, 14,947 feet above sea level, is told in newspapers received here containing accounts of the venture. In order to secure the photo, it was necessary for the airplane pilot to have his machine fly to an altitude of 15,000 feet and to meet a temperature of 10 degrees below zero.

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Current Business Conditions

The Past Year and the Coming One

By GEORGE E. ROBERTS

(From the Bank Letter for JANUARY, Issued by The National City Bank of New York)

The year which has just closed has been production in the United States in nearly all lines either at the highest level ever reached or very close thereto. The yield of farm crops was slightly below that of 1922, but the official valuation for 1923 is \$2,322,695,000 against \$2,449,804,000 in 1922. This increase, however, was largely in cotton and corn, and the figures for these crops are somewhat misleading as indicators of prosperity, inasmuch as in the case of cotton they represent a high price for a small yield grown on a large acreage, and in the case of corn the crop is mainly fed on the farms. Agriculture in many localities is still laboring under difficulties mainly due to unbalanced price relations.

Since the outbreak of the great war the industrial and business situation has experienced many violent changes, some of them highly stimulating and some of them very depressing. It is in the nature of things that such violent changes cannot be all in one direction. As we get farther away from the war the natural tendency is to greater stability, and the past year has shown this characteristic. The price movements have been moderate. The Bureau of Labor's average of index numbers for 404 commodities stood at 156 for January, rose to 159 for March and April, declined to 150 for August, rose to 153 for October and declined slightly thereafter. Except for an advance of 1/4 per cent in the discount rate of the reserve banks of Boston, New York and San Francisco in February, the discount rate of all the reserve banks has stood at 4 1/2 per cent throughout the year. The rediscounts and advances of the reserve banks stood at \$628,000,000 at the date of the first statement in January, rose to \$730,000,000 on May 2, touched the high point of the year at \$930,000,000 on July 3, and on December 19 stood at \$750,000,000. A better showing of uniformity with business at a high level could not be asked for.

Danger of Crisis Not Passed

The great slump of 1920 and 1921 was the natural corollary of the great rise of prices and expansion of credit which had previously occurred. No business crisis ever has occurred unless preceded by a marked expansion of credit, and none need be looked for until such an expansion has occurred. We are not free from danger of it; the continuing importations of gold should keep us on our guard. In 1923 they have been greater than in 1922, reaching approximately \$300,000,000.

The greatest achievement of the year has been the demonstration that the United States can enjoy so large a degree of prosperity notwithstanding the unbalanced conditions in Europe. The record of 1923 can be repeated if the American people but have the courage to proceed with the development of their resources and

the equipment of their industries as they have done in the past year. There is no lack of work to be done. The chief occupation of the American people is that of supplying their own wants, but that their foreign trade is of a stable character, the sustained exports of the last two years have shown. Our trade outside of Europe is growing. The balance between agriculture and the other industries is in the way of being restored, and if we will be satisfied with steady business, without a boom, there is good reason to expect that our hopes will be gratified in 1924.

The Industrial Equilibrium

The features of the present situation which are unsatisfactory are all due to disturbance of the industrial equilibrium.

The tire industry for example has been suffering from over-expansion. Fundamentally, the industry is in a strong position, for the number of automobiles in use has been rapidly increasing, but the tire business has been overstimulated by its own prosperity. It suffered in the gradual slump of 1921, but the unfavorable conditions of late are due to its over-development. The situation affords an illustration of the industrial troubles for which the various branches of industry are themselves responsible, and which can be remedied by themselves alone.

The copper-producing industry has been in an unsatisfactory state in the last half of the year, with an output enough over the demand to weigh down the market. One reason for this is that while consumption in the United States is large, world markets do not take what they would if industrial order was established in Europe and normal development was going on. Another reason is that increasing quantities of copper have been coming at low cost from new ore bodies, upon which great sums of capital have been expended, and this competition is felt by the high-cost producers. The first of these conditions is one of the effects of the war; the other is a condition to which every industry is subject.

The oil industry has been depressed by an extraordinary flow from newly discovered pools. It is characteristic of this industry that production and consumption are seldom closely balanced. The latter steadily increases while the former is affected by the discovery and exhaustion of new fields of supply.

The leather industry is another in which demand and supply are not naturally co-ordinated, because hides, the raw material, are a by-product, not produced independently. Cattle have been forced on the market in large quantities, and hides have been needed and prices have been depressed; another case of disturbed equilibrium.

The coal industry is suffering from

the effects of over-development, brought about by over-stimulation, resulting in part from heavy demands but more from wage-disputes and repeated suspension of operations. The effect of these suspensions has been to create artificial shortages and to concentrate demands within short periods of time, thus offering inducements for the opening of new mines and attracting more workers to the industry than can have continuous employment in it. As a result wages are based upon the expectation of a large amount of idle time, and coal is made unreasonably dear to the industries and all consumers. It is another case of disturbed equilibrium.

The wheat-producing industry was very much disturbed by the war. Previously, an important part of the supplies received by importing countries came from Russia and the Balkan countries; the war cut off these supplies, which greatly stimulated production in other countries, notably the United States and Canada. Since the war grain production has recovered all over Europe, and Russia has reappeared as an exporter, with the result that there is an over-supply of wheat. The United States has reduced its acreage in some degree, but not to the pre-war area, while Canada and Argentina are producing much more than here before. This is a case where production was increased to meet an emergency and the emergency has passed; it should be accordingly reduced.

Cotton Goods Industry

The cotton goods industry has been described by its influence operating in the other American aspect as the most seriously affected of the production of cotton, with the short supply in raw cotton. The price of the raw material has advanced so rapidly that manufacturers are unwilling to make up goods except upon order, and merchants hesitate to give orders at a level much above that to which consumers are accustomed. The normal equilibrium between the raw material and cloth and between cotton goods and other commodities is disturbed and affects the industry unfavorably. Although cotton brings a high price, the growers are receiving it upon a small yield grown over a large acreage at high cost, and the benefits of the high price are very unequally distributed over different localities.

Wool is usually classed as an agricultural product, although only a relatively small portion of the world supplies is produced on farms. The number of sheep in all countries has been largely reduced since the war, and the situation is unbalanced by reason of the small supplies. As in the case of cotton there is nothing that consumers can do but pay the rising prices, or do without, until supply and demand come into equilibrium.

During the war the demand for certain goods was great, and prices rose, making beef production unprofitable, and beef-producers like tire-producers in the past year, strove to increase their output. Tire production is increased by factory extensions, new equipment and more workmen, but beef-production is increased by the slower process of building up herds. Individual growers, however, were tempted to increase their own production by buying stock cattle from each other, the effects of which were to run up prices and get many of them deeply into debt. When the demand for beef for the armies fell off and industrial depression spread over the world, beef consumption fell off, prices fell, and stock-growers who had borrowed money to pay for cattle at high prices have been obliged to sell their herds in markets overloaded with offerings. The situation was a balanced one way when the growers were bidding against each other, and their efforts to increase their herds, and unbalanced the other way when they were trying to sell in markets where sellers greatly outnumbered buyers.

Growth of Hog Market

Corn and hogs are another closely related case of the war, excess and in values. For several years prior to 1923 the equilibrium between them was lost, prices becoming relatively higher, hogs. The effect of this situation was to stimulate the breeding of more hogs, until in the past year the number marketed was 34 per cent larger than in 1922. This turned the situation over, with the balance the other way.

There are other cases that might be mentioned to illustrate the importance of balanced relations between the various independent factors in industry and to show that the adjustment and regulation of these relations must be managed by the parties immediately concerned. The entire system of interchange by which the wants of society are supplied is regulated by the fluctuation of prices. Over-development anywhere is corrected by a fall of prices, and under-development is corrected by a rise of prices, and all this regulation is accomplished far more effectively by the free play of natural forces than it can be done by government regulation. The latter would require a dictatorship not only over prices but over all industry, regulating individual activities and doing away with individual judgment and individual independence.

None of the cases of maladjustment mentioned above have been caused by governmental action, except in the general sense that governments were responsible for the war, and governments cannot cure them. Any attempt by the government to remedy them would interfere with the natural readjustments, and delay recovery.

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THE STATE'S OLDEST NEWSPAPER
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AN OPPORTUNITY

The tax commissions which Governor Nestos proposes to appoint in several sections of the state will have an opportunity to render a large and important service to the state. One of the difficulties of tax-making is that the ramifications of a tax system are so great that comparatively few are moved to protest or praise except as they are individually affected. The tax studying committees in their various sections can gather the figures concerning the tax burden, they can show how it has been shifted in the last several years, how taxes have increased and who is paying them. They can show that every citizen needs to make himself familiar with tax problems and that every bond issue, every improvement, every extension of the functions of government is reflected in his tax bill, whether he pays additional taxes directly or not. And if the situation is brought home forcibly to every citizen a great beginning will be made toward again placing taxes on a common-sense basis.

After all has been said and done the remedy for tax reduction is simple and apparent. The way to reduce taxes is by supporting only the essentials of government and eliminate expensive experiments.

MAGNUS THE BIG SHOW

Magnus Johnson continues to make a big splash in the east. He spatters a little mud occasionally and then appears to put on a grin as wide as his broad-rimmed hat and smooth it all over. He appears to enjoy himself thoroughly and he is going big in the sideshow of the nation's legislative circus, but what he will do under the main top remains to be seen. Magnus may not have worldly ambitions. He may not want to be wealthy, although the industry which his wife showed in milking the cows at home, if one may believe the Sunday pictures, would indicate that someone in the family had ambitions along this line. Most statesmen have the Chautauqua platform to fall back upon to recuperate financially and to consume their spare time. But not so Magnus. He is blazoned forth in flaming lithographs when he appears in Madison Square garden, the home of famous speeches, band concerts, circuses, prize fights and swimming contests. His path to riches is opened.

Witness a flaming advertisement in the staid New York Times, which shows Magnus with a Rooseveltian grin beneath a straw hat and gives a peep at his costume of overalls and open-necked shirt. He is billed as "the most discussed farmer-statesman in the world. Hear him tonight." And he is not talking tariff or the Federal Reserve. "Smash censorship"—that is the burden of this talk. He appears with Bernard Macfadden who is to expose the "Clean Books Bill" soon to be introduced in the New York legislature. He and Magnus are for free speech and frankness in literature and perhaps in pictures. No censorship for them. Let the authors say what they will and let the public take it or leave it. Surely Magnus cannot be accused of Puritanism.

The new Minnesota senator has hob-knobbed with bankers and social leaders in the east and he doesn't seem to mind it. Now he is becoming a champion of Bohemia. The versatility of the senator is amazing, and one is inclined to believe that amazing things may be expected from him in the future.

FIRST PHONES

In 1878 Mary Beatrice Kennedy became the first telephone exchange operator in New York City. She's still plugging a switchboard in the College of St. Elizabeth at Convent Station, N. J.

Now, if you think human nature has changed much, hark to Mary's memories of old times. Before Mary took her job in 1878, "Central" was always a boy.

"I got my job," she recalls, "because the company was tired of firing its swearing boy operators. Subscribers used to come down to the telephone office to fight the operator who had sworn at them."

Phone users don't do that these days, but some of them occasionally weaken and start figuring how far the trip is to "Central."

In the old days, Mary recalls people didn't use telephone numbers. They just cranked at the box, took down the receiver and asked for Smith's drug store or Brown's grocery. And people must have been as impatient as now, for Central got an earful of abuse if there was delay in getting the desired party.

Mary says folks used to ring Central and ask the price of eggs and what kind of weather was predicted for tomorrow. The telephone companies still are toiling to break people of the habit of asking Central what time it is, where's the fire, did One-Round Gorilla knock out Battling Snoozer, or who won the ball game.

Mary worked short hours, for those times—only 8 in the morning until 6 at night. She had a long trip between home and office, and had to climb six flights of stairs to get to her switchboard. Who invented the elevator that ended this toil? Don't all answer at once.

MAY SHOOT MARS

Professor Goddard again is busy on his plan to fire a rocket to the moon, with a man inside. Twenty or more have volunteered to make the trip.

Goddard says that a speed of six miles a second would free the rocket from the earth's gravitational attraction. Then it would travel on until it entered the moon's sphere of gravity.

We hope Goddard doesn't shoot at Mars. The Martians might consider it the opening gun of a War of the Worlds, and fire back.

Editorial Review

THE RETURN OF PUSSYFOOT

We greet Mr. Pussyfoot Johnson, who comes back to us from South Africa and Zanzibar and way stations, himself more himself than ever and uttering in feet unrestrained the thoughts that arise in him: "My right eye is out, my left eye is shy, but I am not going to the world is dry." A worthy poem, but unequal to the author. Mr. Johnson is at once Odysseus and the Odyssey. He travels about the world, makes it love him and tells about it afterward in a way that endears him even to those most violently opposed to his opinions. He says that he had trouble only from his audience in Port Elizabeth in South Africa.

He forgets that the little disturbance in Port Elizabeth was caused by a mythical story, then prevalent, that some South African soldier had been mistreated in Jersey City or somewhere. All the anti-Johnson demonstrations that have occurred in Canada or England or elsewhere have been due to myth and the law of imitation. Crowds have not understood the essential Pussyfoot. His nickname is deceptive. It refers to the stealthiness of his approach as an internal revenue agent in the old days. When it comes to fighting, there is no stage Sheriff from Texas who is handier with his "gun." But for years he has been on a new track. He doesn't quite understand himself, but his aim is to reconcile reasonable and convivial man to prohibition.

Thirteen years ago he himself gave up the old familiar juice. This might be thought to indicate voluntary total abstinence rather than prohibition; just as his prophecies of the success of local option in England and South Africa may be thought, by caviling minds, to be inconsonant with perfect Volsteadism. This inconsistency, if such it be, makes no flaw in the entire and perfect chrysolite of Pussyfootism. He knows that the Greeks, the Romans, the Egyptians and every other race, before or since, drank itself to death. So he has determined to make the whole world dry and names 1950 as the blessed date.

May the Life Extension Institute permit us all to be here to see! Meanwhile, let us salute the man who made India dry; who converted Zanzibar, an "easy mark," since it is the world's chief centre of cloves—no longer the too feeble maskers of alcoholic breath. If Zanzibar is rich in sorghum, it can't compete with Pussyfoot, the most sagacious of the gods of the Indian Power. If Zanzibar boasts its red pepper, it is spiceless and tasteless compared with even the mildest Johnsonianism. Mr. Johnson was much distressed, naturally, by the rift between Moslems and Christians in Zanzibar. Yet it is a noble fact that Islam and the United States are one on the question of questions.

Well, he comes back to us, unhurt and undiscouraged, from the veldt and the karroo. He is all right. No kill-joy he. "I have never heard," he says, "of a man coming home from a dance and chucking his baby out through the transom, or of a man suddenly deciding after his fifth cigar to wipe his shoes on his neighbor's mustache, or of a baseball man saying 'I wish I were a girl' to his wife. Pussyfoot is not an accomplished reformer. He is willing that people should enjoy themselves—in a way. He is a friend of conviviality without drink.—New York Times.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

"My, my but I'm glad to see you!" cried the Fairy Queen as she gave each of the Twins a good hug and kiss. "I haven't seen you for ages. What's happened? Where have you been?"

"We couldn't find any way to get here!" said Nick. "We wanted to come but couldn't."

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The New Political Football



said her majesty in surprise. "I wonder why he didn't obey me!"

"He did! He did obey you," said Nancy. "But he left the shoes on our lawn and it snowed on them and we didn't see them until the snow melted."

"We put them on and wished ourselves here as quickly as we could. My, but it's nice and warm! And the flowers are in bloom—like summer."

"It's always warm in Fairyland," said the Fairy Queen, giving Nancy another little squeeze. "I'm particularly glad you happened in today, though, kiddies, for I've had a letter from one of my best friends, and you know her! Guess!"

"Mother Goose?" guessed Nancy. "No, I'll tell you who it is. It's the Riddle Lady! The Riddle Lady who lies in Riddle Land!"

"Why, we were in Riddle Land not long ago!" cried Nancy. "Well, that's why she wants you again. She says that her subjects have lost all their thinking caps and can't find them. And so, of course, they can't guess a single answer to her riddles. She wants you two children to meet Humpty Dumpty down by the garden wall today afternoon and go back to Riddle Town with him. She has invited the Mother Goose people to Riddle Town too, because they all love riddles."

Nimble Toes took them to the door and bowed them out, and the first person they laid their eyes on was Humpty Dumpty waiting patiently. "You would come in because I don't like stone steps," he explained. "How'd do, children. I hope you're both well."

"Just fine, Mister Humpty," said Nancy. "And how are you?"

"A little stiff," he remarked. "But that's to be expected. As mayor of Riddle Town, I don't have much time to think of my own troubles. But we can talk after we get there and time's flying! The Riddle Lady has a new riddle to ask. Come!"

"And taking each Twin by an arm, away they went through the air to Riddle Land."

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Necessity Required It.

"I was only acting the part of peacemaker," explained a prisoner. "You who knocked the man senseless!" said the magistrate.

"I did," the prisoner answered. "There was no other way to get peace."—Pearson's Weekly.

The Tangle

LETTER FROM MRS. MARY ALDEN PRESCOTT TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

MY DEAR SON:
After my last letter to you, which you did not think worthy of an answer, I fully determined never to write you again.

But a mother's heart—even when it is broken, and bleeding—cannot quite cast out her only child.

In my last letter I told you of a picture which dear Priscilla Bradford had seen and which made me think that the suspicious might find gossiping circumstances coincident to the adoption of that nameless brat you have seen fit to call after your most illustrious ancestor.

Of course, that letter was only of conjecture, but now, my dear son, I have positive proof that your wife (I hate to call her by that holy name) is holding clandestine meetings with another man and I am almost sure that her own family are aiding and abetting her in this terrible thing.

I am sure Providence is warning through dear Priscilla Bradford for your salvation. How otherwise could she be in New York just at this time and see your wife in intimate conversation with a man, evidently an Englishman, in the public dining room of a hotel?

It seems to me that at least she should, for the sake of your name, have kept her affairs more private.

JOHN.

But, no, she has flouted them to the world.

Of course my dear boy, not having heard from you lately, I am not sure but that you and Leslie have separated. As much as I deplore divorce I will confess to you that I hope this is true, especially as dear Priscilla Bradford seems to think Leslie has taken that baby you adopted with her.

If my surmise is correct and if you have found you have made a great mistake by marrying Leslie, and have separated, I will make the great sacrifice of leaving my home here where all the furnishings speak of your ancestors and come and live with you in your home.

Of course, not knowing anyone there, I will hope to persuade dear Priscilla Bradford to come with me. Then, my dear boy, I am sure you will find a home such as not even you have dreamed.

Priscilla is returning from New York tomorrow. A telegram to me would bring us to you within the next few days.

Your loving and forgiving MOTHER.

Telegram from John Alden Prescott to Mrs. Mary Alden Prescott.

Under no circumstances will I allow you and that damned meddlesome old maid in my house. You have forfeited every filial affection that I have ever had. Leslie is still my loved and loving wife.

Tom Sims NEWS PAPER

GANGWAY FOR HOLIDAYS

Whee! Calendar Thinks
February Coming in
On Time

News has reached here that February is due next month.

Preparation says perspiration. Prepare or beware. Start wishing your friends a cloudy Groundhog Day. Get some rails ready to split on Lincoln's Birthday. Be making a list of enemies to send sarcastic valentines. Quit shaving now and you will be disguised by Mardi Gras. Save up something you can tell the truth about on Washington's Birthday. Get ready for Longfellow's Birthday: that is when the first spring poet sees his shadow.

But Feb. 29 will be the biggest holiday. Then you will hear the bachelors holler.

WEATHER

Weather forecaster quit his job in Chicago, maybe because the climate didn't agree with him.

Kid Valentino, the wild movie shik of the sidewalks, has hampered out a book of poetry which is a knockout. Kid swings a wicked "caress divine" and follows with a swift "we kiss the lips of the mate of our soul." Keep your peepers open for this bird. He is a good boy.

HOME HELPS

Mistaking his landlord for a burglar a Los Angeles man shot him. "I will live until the whole world is dry," said Pussyfoot Johnson in New York. A man who can say that

in New York must expect to make Methusalem's record look like a false start.

Two optimists who held up a Seattle school teacher escaped.

ADVERTISING

Write for Tom Sims' Suggestions. This book will explain how to tell the truth on George Washington's Birthday without starting a fight. Clip this coupon and send stamps to cover postage. Send no address. The stamps are what we want.

HEALTH HINTS

While a St. Louis man who fell three stories will recover it is not a healthy habit.

What promises to be one of the most charming of the many delightful affairs scheduled for the coming beautiful spring season is a rumored fight between Dempsey and Gibbons.

Both will wear close-fitting trunks. These trunks will come six feet from the floor at times and at other times may reach the floor.

Our attention has been called to the established fact that Mr. and Mrs. Soandso have company, from out of town this week. No telling how pleased we are to learn such. Mr. and Mrs. Soandso will not fight before company. Think of the dishes this will save! That's what this country needs—more company.

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Never put on new socks without taking off your old socks.

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SYNOPSIS

At a first night performance in New York, a beautiful young woman attracts attention by rising and leisurely surveying the audience through her glasses. Clavering, a newspaper columnist, and his cousin, Dinwiddie, are particularly interested. Dinwiddie declares that she is the image of Mary Ogden, a belle of thirty years ago, who had married a Count Zattiany and lived abroad. He is convinced that this is Mary's daughter, but all efforts to establish her identity prove futile.

Clavering, determined to find out who she is, follows her home from the theatre one night. Luck is with him, for she has forgotten her keys and he helps her get into the house. She asks him in and finally tells him she is the Countess Josef Zattiany, a cousin of Mary Ogden's; that she had married a relative of Mary's husband; that Mary is ill in a sanitarium in Vienna. Clavering is skeptical.

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Revival meetings are being held at the Baker school house near here and a large crowd from this vicinity are attending every night.
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Muskrat season opened Jan. 10th and the boys of this vicinity are very busy catching the rats on Long Lake. Despite the fact that Long Lake has been dry at different times the lake is infested with rats, and the boys have been catching as high as a hundred rats a day. The wholesale price per rat is \$1.50 this season.
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PILLOW TUBING	MUSLIN	GOWNS
An extra good quality in a well known brand 32 and 45 inches wide. Yard.....	Soft finish, bleached muslin 36 inches wide. Sale price, yard.....	Plain tailored gowns of extra quality Nainsook. Sizes 36 to 42. Very special at.....
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Miss Ellen Jager, teacher of the Wilderose school, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Buck.
Jake Vale is suffering with a badly injured limb which he sustained when he fell thru a hole in the hay loft of his barn.
Dr. Baer of Braddock was a visitor in this vicinity, Sunday, called here by the illness of Mrs. Ernest Saville. Revival meetings are being held at the Baker school house near here and a large crowd from this vicinity are attending every night.
The many friends of Mrs. Harry Carlisle will regret to learn she has been quite ill the past week at her home.
Muskrat season opened Jan. 10th and the boys of this vicinity are very busy catching the rats on Long Lake. Despite the fact that Long Lake has been dry at different times the lake is infested with rats, and the boys have been catching as high as a hundred rats a day, the wholesale price per rat is \$1.50 this season.
Miss Edith Raemond of Braddock spent the week-end visiting at the Ernest Saville home.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brownwell entertained at a family dinner on Sunday in honor of the birthday of their mother, Mrs. Ida Brownwell. A large birthday cake was the center of attraction. Mrs. Aug. Ben of

KITCHEN CUPBOARD

By NELLIE MAXWELL

FOOD FOR THE FAMILY.

A MOST tasty and delicate dish may be prepared from calf's brains. Wash the brains and cook in simmering water to which a tablespoonful of vinegar has been added with salt and a slice each of onion and carrot to add flavor. Drain and chill. When cold cut into cubes and pour over the brains a half cupful of sweet cider or any unsweetened fruit juice; let stand one hour. Peel one-fourth of a pound of mushroom caps, slice and saute in butter. Add three tablespoonfuls of butter, add three tablespoonfuls of flour and when well-blended one cupful of thin cream and one-half cupful of whipped cream. Bring the cream, except the whipped cream, to the boiling point, add the brains and mushrooms, season well with cayenne and salt and add the whipped cream just before serving. This is a delicious dish to serve in cream puffs or timbale cases.

Escalloped Apples.—Cut a small loaf of bread into halves, remove the soft part and rub through the hands to crumb well; melt one-fourth of a cupful of butter and stir lightly with a fork. Cover the bottom of a buttered baking dish with buttered crumbs and cover with two cupfuls of thinly-sliced apples; sprinkle with sugar, nutmeg, one tablespoonful of lemon juice and the grated rind of half a lemon; repeat, cover with the remaining crumbs and bake forty minutes or until the apples are well done. Serve with sugar and cream.

Baked Haddock With Oyster Stuffing.—Remove skin, head and tail from a four-pound haddock. Bone and keep the fillets in shape. Sprinkle with salt and brush with lemon juice. Lay a fillet in a dripping pan, cover with oysters dipped into seasoned cracker crumbs, cover the oysters with another fillet, brush with egg, cover with buttered crumbs, and bake fifty minutes or until the fish is well cooked. Serve with hollandaise sauce. Any other meaty fish may be used in place of haddock.
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An extra good quality in a well known brand 42 and 45 inches wide. Yard..... 35c	Soft finish, bleached muslin 36 inches wide. Sale price, yard..... 19c	Plain tailored gowns of extra quality Nainsook. Sizes 36 to 42. Very special at..... \$2.50
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HOUSE DRESSES Just Received, several dozen good large size dresses in Orchid, Yellow and Pink Checks. Special for this sale at..... \$2.75 and \$3.95	Remnants All Silk, Wool and Cotton Remnants at One-Half of marked prices.	Women's Union Suits White sleeveless, ankle length suits, band or bodice top. Regular and large sizes..... \$1.25	Children's Union Suits Fleece lined, ankle length with long sleeves, also Dutch neck with short sleeves 6 to 16 years..... \$1.00	Corsets 10% Discount on all regular stock during this sale.

20% Discount ON ALL MUNSING WINTER UNDERWEAR

POINCARE ASKS AID OF ALL

Cabinet Adopts Government Plan For Increased Taxes

Paris, Jan. 18.—Premier Poincare with an impassioned appeal to the patriotism of all Frenchmen, urging them to present the same solid and united front against the difficulties of peace as they did in war, carried the day in the preliminary encounter with the legislative assembly in his efforts to improve France's impaired financial position and renovate the standing of the franc on international exchange.
First, the cabinet adopted the final draft of the government's program of fiscal reform, including the measure providing for a 20 per cent increase in taxation. Next, the minister of finance, M. De Lasteyrie, introduced the measures in the chamber. Then followed two votes of confidence in the government, the chamber supporting the premier 394 to 189 in his refusal of immediate discussion of an interpretation of pensions, and by a vote of 360 to 215 his refusal to agree to a discussion of interpellations on the subject of exchange.

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THE STATE'S OLDEST NEWSPAPER
(Established 1873)

AN OPPORTUNITY

The tax commissions which Governor Nestos proposes to appoint in several sections of the state will have an opportunity to render a large and important service to the state. One of the difficulties of tax-making is that the ramifications of a tax system are so great that comparatively few are moved to protest or praise except as they are individually affected. The tax studying committees in their various sections can gather the figures concerning the tax burden, they can show how it has been shifted in the last several years, how taxes have increased and who is paying them. They can show that every citizen needs to make himself familiar with tax problems and that every bond issue, every improvement, every extension of the functions of government is reflected in his tax bill, whether he pays additional taxes directly or not. And if the situation is brought home forcibly to every citizen a great beginning will be made toward again placing taxes on a common-sense basis.

And after all has been said and done the remedy for tax reduction is simple and apparent. The way to reduce taxes is by supporting only the essentials of government and eliminate expensive experiments.

MAGNUS THE BIG SHOW

Magnus Johnson continues to make a big splash in the east. He spatters a little mud occasionally and then appears to put on a grin as wide as his broad-rimmed hat and smooth it all over. He appears to enjoy himself thoroughly and he is going big in the sideshow of the nation's legislative circus, but what he will do under the main top remains to be seen.

Magnus may not have worldly ambitions. He may not want to be wealthy, although the industry which his wife showed in milking the cows at home, if one may believe the Sunday pictures, would indicate that someone in the family had ambitions along this line. Most statesmen have the Chautauqua platform to fall back upon to recuperate financially and to consume their spare time. But not so Magnus. He is blazoned forth in flaming lithographs when he appears in Madison Square garden, the home of famous speeches, band concerts, circuses, prize fights and swimming contests. His path to riches is opened.

Witness a flaming advertisement in the staid New York Times, which shows Magnus with a Rooseveltian grin beneath a straw hat and gives a peep at his costume of overalls and open-necked shirt. He is billed as "the most discussed farmer-statesman in the world. Hear him tonight." And he is not talking tariff or the Federal Reserve. "Smash censorship"—that is the burden of this talk. He appears with Bernard Macfadden who is to expose the "Clean Books Bill" soon to be introduced in the New York legislature. He and Magnus are for free speech and frankness in literature and perhaps in pictures. No censorship for them. Let the authors say what they will and let the public take it or leave it. Surely Magnus cannot be accused of Puritanism.

The new Minnesota senator has hob-knobbed with bankers and social leaders in the east and he doesn't seem to mind it. Now he is becoming a champion of Bohemia. The versatility of the senator is amazing, and one is inclined to believe that amazing things may be expected from him in the future.

FIRST PHONES

In 1878 Mary Beatrice Kennedy became the first telephone exchange operator in New York City. She's still plugging a switchboard in the College of St. Elizabeth at Convent Station, N. J.

Now, if you think human nature has changed much, hark to Mary's memories of old times.

Before Mary took her job in 1878, "Central" was always a boy.

"I got my job," she recalls, "because the company was tired of firing its swearing boy operators. Subscribers used to come down to the telephone office to fight the operator who had sworn at them."

Phone users don't do that these days, but some of them occasionally weaken and start figuring how far the trip is to "Central."

In the old days, Mary recalls people didn't use telephone numbers. They just cranked at the box, took down the receiver and asked for Smith's drug store or Brown's grocery. And people must have been as impatient as now, for Central got an earful of abuse if there was delay in getting the desired party.

Mary says folks used to ring Central and ask the price of eggs and what kind of weather was predicted for tomorrow. The telephone companies still are toiling to break people of the habit of asking Central what time it is, where's the fire, did One-Round Gorilla knock out Battling Snooter, or who won the ball game.

Mary worked short hours, for those times—only 8 in the morning until 6 at night. She had a long trip between home and office, and had to climb six flights of stairs to get to her switchboard. Who invented the elevator that ended this toil? Don't all answer at once.

MAY SHOOT MARS

Professor Goddard again is busy on his plan to fire a rocket to the moon, with a man inside. Twenty or more have volunteered to make the trip.

Goddard says that a speed of six miles a second would free the rocket from the earth's gravitational attraction. Then it would travel on until it entered the moon's sphere of gravity.

We hope Goddard doesn't shoot at Mars. The Martians might consider it the opening gun of a War of the Worlds, and fire back.

Editorial Review

THE RETURN OF PUSSYFOOT

We greet Mr. Pussyfoot Johnson, who comes back to us from South Africa and Zanzibar and way stations, himself more himself than ever and uttering in feet unstrained the thoughts that arise in him. "My right eye is out, my left eye is shut, but I am not going to the world is dry." A worthy poem, but unequal to its author. Mr. Johnson is at once Odysseus and the Odyssey. He travels about the world, makes it love him and tells about it afterward in a way that endears him even to those who violently opposed to his opinions. He says that he had trouble only from his audience in Port Elizabeth in South Africa.

He forgets that the little disturbance in Port Elizabeth was caused by a mythical story, then prevalent, that some South African soldier had been mistreated in Jersey City or somewhere. All the anti-Johnson demonstrations that have occurred in Canada or England or elsewhere have been due to myth and the law of induction. Crowds have not understood the essential Pussyfoot. His nickname is deceptive. It refers to the strangeness of his approach as an internal revenue agent in the old days. When it comes to fighting, there is no stage sheriff from Texas who is handier with his "gun." But for years he has been on a new track. He doesn't quite understand it himself, but his aim is to reconcile reasonable and convivial man to prohibition.

Thirteen years ago he himself gave up the old familiar juice. This might be thought to indicate voluntary total abstinence rather than prohibition. Just as his prophecies of the success of local option in England and South Africa may be thought, by cavilling minds, to be inconsonant with perfect Volsteadism. This inconsistency, if such it be, makes no law in the entire and perfect chrysolite of Pussyfootism. He knows that the Greeks, the Romans, the Egyptians and every other race, before he was in England and South Africa, had drunk themselves to death. So he is determined to make the whole world dry and names 1950 as the blessed date.

May the Life Extension Institute permit us all to be here to see! Meanwhile, let us salute the man who made India dry; who converted Zanzibar, an "easy mark," into a world's chief center of clover; no longer the too fertile source of alcoholic breath; who, in Zanzibar, is rich in sorghum, it can't compete with Pussyfoot, the most sagacious of the fues of the Plum Power. If Zanzibar boasts its red pepper, it is spicelless and tasteless compared with even the mildest Johnsonianism. Mr. Johnson was much distressed, naturally, by the clash between Mohammeds and Christians in Zanzibar. Yet it is a public fact that Islam and the United States are one on the question of questions.

Well, he comes back to us, unhurt and undiscovered, from the wild and the narrow. He is all right. No kill-joy be. "I have never heard," he says, "of a man coming home from a dance and chucking his baby on the ground, or of a man suddenly deciding after his fifth clear to wipe his shoes on his neighbor's mustache, or of a baseball man saying 'I will bat twice to his wife.'"

Pussyfoot is not an accomplished reformer. He is willing that pussy should enjoy themselves in a way. He is a friend of conviviality without drink. New York Times.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

"My, my but I'm glad to see you!" cried the Fairy Queen as she gave each of the Twins a good hug and kiss. "I haven't seen you for ages. What's happened? Where have you been?"

"We couldn't find any way to get here!" said Nick. "We wanted to come but couldn't."

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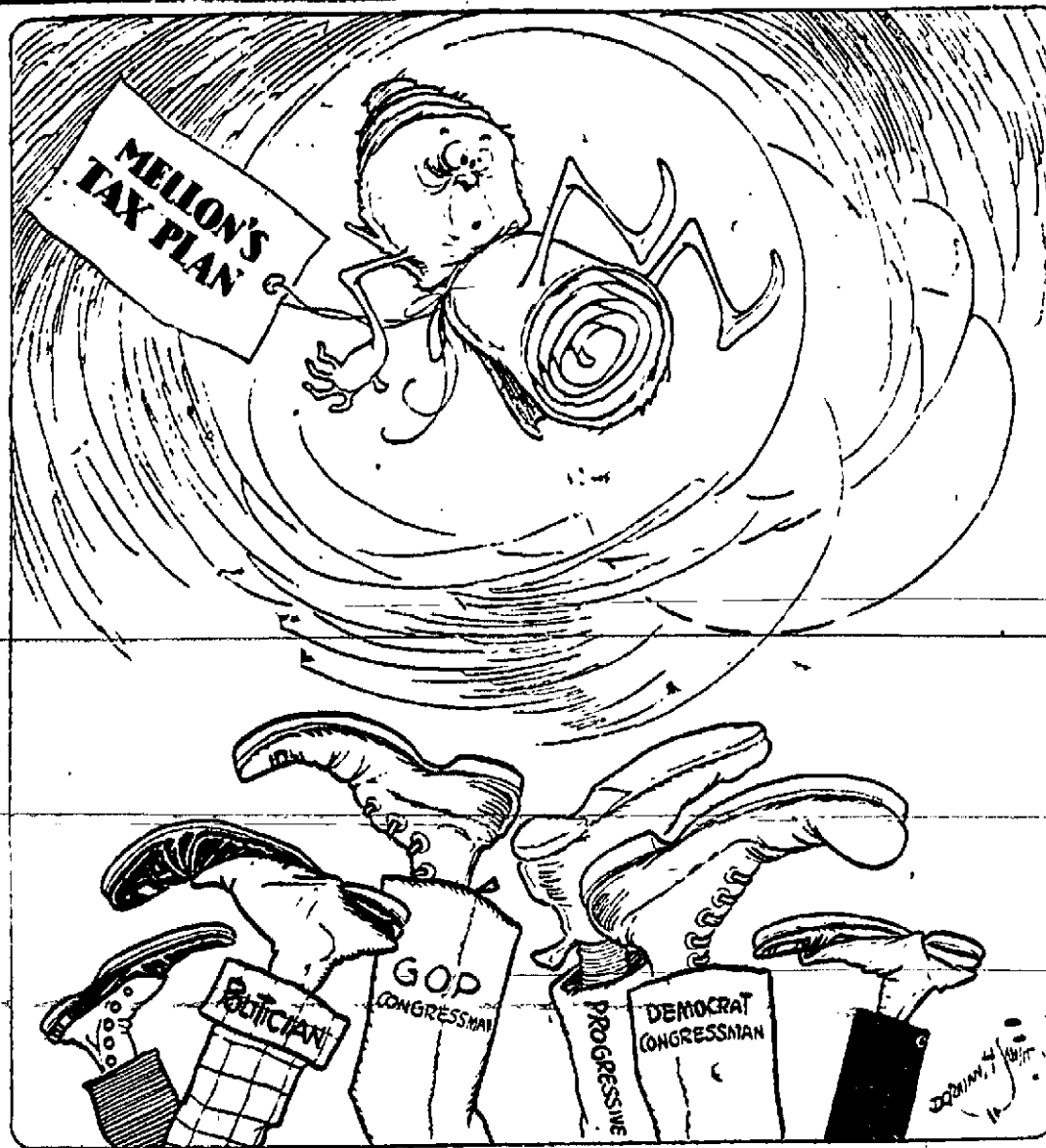
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The New Political Football



and her majesty in surprise. "I wonder why he didn't obey me?" "He did! He did obey you," said Nancy. "But he left the shoes on our lawn and it snowed on them and we didn't see them until the snow melted. We put them on and melted ourselves here as quickly as we could. My, but it's nice and warm! And the flowers are in bloom—like summer!"

"It's always warm in Fairyland," said the Fairy Queen, giving Nancy another little squeeze. "I'm particularly glad you happened in today, though, kiddies, for I've had a letter from one of my best friends. And you know her! Guess!"

"Mother Goose?" guessed Nancy. "No, I'll tell you who it is. It's the Riddle Lady. The Riddle Lady who lies in Riddle Land!"

"Why, we were in Riddle Land not long ago!" cried Nancy. "Well, that's why she wants you again. She says that her subjects have lost all their thinking caps and can't find them. And so, of course, they can't guess a single answer to her riddles. She wants you two children to meet Humpty Dumpty down by the garden wall today as soon as you get back to Riddle Town with him. She has invited the Mother Goose people to Riddle Town too, because they all love riddles."

"Nimble Toes took them to the garden and bowed them out, and the first person they laid their eyes on was Humpty Dumpty waiting patiently. 'I wouldn't come in because I don't like stone steps,' he explained. 'How did you children. I hope you're both well!'"

"Just fine, Mister Humpty," said Nancy. "And how are you?" "A little stiff!" he remarked. "But that's to be expected. As mayor of Riddle Town, I don't have much time to think of my own troubles. But we can talk after we get there and time's flying! The Riddle Lady has a new riddle to ask. Come!" And taking each Twin by an arm, away they went through the air to Riddle Land.

(To Be Continued.)

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Necessity Required It.
"I was only acting the part of policeman," explained a prisoner. "But you knocked the man senseless!" said the magistrate.
"I did," the prisoner answered.
"There was no other way to get peace," Pearson's Weekly.

The Tangle

LETTER FROM MRS. MARY ALDEN PRESCOTT TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

MY DEAR SON:
After my last letter to you, which you did not think worthy of an answer, I fully determined never to write you again.

But a mother's heart—even when it is broken and bleeding—cannot go to rest until her only child.

In my last letter I told you of a picture which dear Priscilla Bradford had seen and which made me think that the suspicious might find gossiping circumstances coincident to the adoption of that nameless but you have seen fit to call after your most illustrious ancestor.

Of course, that letter was only one of conjecture, but now, my dear son, I have positive proof that your wife had to call her by that holy name! It is holding clandestine meetings with another man and I am almost sure that her own family are aiding and abetting her in this terrible thing.

I am sure Providence is working through dear Priscilla Bradford for your salvation. How otherwise could she be in New York just at this time, and in such a position of intimate conversation with a man, evidently an Englishman, in the public room of a hotel?

But, no, she has haunted them to the world.

Of course my dear boy, not having heard from you lately, I am not sure but that you and Leslie have separated. As much as I deplore divorce I will confess to you that I hope this is true, especially as dear Priscilla Bradford seems to think Leslie has taken that baby you adopted with her.

If my surmise is correct and if you have found you have made a great mistake by marrying Leslie, and have separated, I will make the great sacrifice of leaving my home where all the furnishings speak of your ancestors and come and live with you in your home.

Of course, not knowing anyone there, I will hope to persuade dear Priscilla Bradford to come with me. Then, my dear boy, I am sure you will find a home such as not even you have dreamed.

Priscilla is returning from New York tomorrow. A telegram to me would bring us to you within the next few days.

Your loving and forgiving MOTHER.
Telegram From John Alden Prescott to Mrs. Mary Alden Prescott.
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Tom Sims NEWS GANGWAY FOR HOLIDAYS

Whee! Calendar Thinks February Coming in On Time

News has reached here that February is due next month. Preparation save perspiration. Prepare or beware. Start wishing your friends a cloudy Groundhog Day. Get some rails ready to split on Lincoln's Birthday. Be making a list of enemies to send sarcastic valentines. Quit shoving now and you will be disguised by Mardi Gras. Save up something you can tell the truth about on Washington's Birthday. Get ready for Longfellow's Birthday: that is when the first spring poet sees his shadow.

But Feb. 29 will be the biggest holiday. Then you will hear the hachels boller.

WEATHER
Weather forecaster quit his job in Chicago, maybe because the climate didn't agree with him.
Kid Valentino, the wild movie sheik of the sidburns, has hampered out a book of poetry which is a knockout. Kid swings a wicked "curse" drive and follows with a swift "we kiss the lips of the mate of our soul." Keep your peepers open for this bird. He is a good boy.

HOME HELPS
Mistaking his landlord for a burglar a Los Angeles man shot him. "I will live until the whole world is dry," said Pussyfoot Johnson in New York. A man who can say that

in New York must expect to make Methuselah's record look like a false start.
Two optimists who held up a Seattle school teacher escaped.

ADVERTISING
Write for Tom Sims' Suggestions. This book will explain how to tell the truth on Gorge Washington's Birthday without starting a fight. Clip this coupon and send stamps to cover postage. Send no address. The stamps are what we want.

We sell shadows for groundhogs to see. Get one for Feb. 2.
HEALTH HINTS
While a St. Louis man who fell three stories will recover it is not a healthy habit.
What promises to be one of the most charming of the many delightful affairs scheduled for the coming beautiful spring social season is a rumored fight between Dempsey and Gibbons.

Both will wear close-fitting trunks. These trunks will come six feet from the floor at times and at other times may reach the floor.
Our attention has been called to the established fact that Mr. and Mrs. Soandso have company, from out of town this week. No telling how pleased we are to learn such. Mr. and Mrs. Soandso will not fight before company. Think of the dishes this will save! That's what this country needs—more company.

DRESS DON'TS
Never put on new socks without taking off your old socks.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

"THAT'S RIGHT, EVERETT, #20. THANKS! HAR! HAR! HAR!! YOU'RE AN EASY CHUMP! HAR! HAR! I KNEW I'D GET YOUR DOUGH!! YOU'RE A HARD LOSER, OLD KID, BUT CHEER UP!! HAR! HA...."

"I'm a hard loser, eh? What about these hard winners?!!"

"She rose swiftly and came close to him."

"Mr. Dinwiddie, no doubt, is making investigations. If he verified my story, would you still disbelieve?"

"I should know there was something back of it all."

"You must have been a good reporter."

"One of the best."

"I suppose it is that."

"Partly, I don't think that if you were not just what you are I'd care a hang. Other people's affairs don't excite me. I've outgrown mere inquisitiveness."

"That is merely beside the point, isn't it? It all comes back to this—that you are afraid of falling in love with me."

"You don't look as if it would do me any good if I did."

"Why not let it go at that?"

"I think the best thing I can do is to get out altogether."

She rose swiftly and came close to him. "Oh, no! I am not going to let you go. You are the only person on this continent who interests me. I shall have your friendship. And you must admit that I have done nothing."

"Oh, no, you have done nothing. You're only to be."

He wondered that he felt no desire to touch her. She looked lovely and appealing and very young. But she radiated power, and that chin could not melt.

BLACK OXEN

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SYNOPSIS

At a first night performance in New York, a beautiful young woman attracts attention by rising and leisurely surveying the audience through her glasses. Clavering, a newspaper columnist, and his cousin, Dinwiddie, are particularly interested. Dinwiddie declares that she is the image of Mary Ogden, a belle of thirty years ago, who had married a Count Zattiany and lived abroad. He is convinced that this is Mary's daughter, but all efforts to establish her identity prove futile.

Clavering, determined to find out who she is, follows her home from the theatre one night. Luck is with him, for she has forgotten her keys and he helps her get into the house. She asks him in and finally tells him she is the Countess Zattiany, a cousin of Mary Ogden's; that she had married a relative of Mary's husband; that Mary is ill in a sanitarium in Vienna. Clavering is skeptical.

Though maintaining a strict aloofness from society, Madame Zattiany continues to attend all the first nights. Clavering meets her there one night, and she invites him back to her house after the theatre. He tells her frankly that he does not believe her story.

Then she demanded: "And do you think I am an actress—who got an education somehow?" "I think you are an actress, but not that sort. Your imaginative flight leaves me cold."

"Perhaps you think I had Mary's personality transferred and that it exists side by side with my own here in this accidental shell. There are great scientists in Vienna."

"Ah!" He looked at her sharply. "But, button—I feel a sensation of warmth somewhere."

She laughed again, but her eyes contracted and almost closed. "I fear you are a very romantic young man as well as a very curious one."

"I deserved that. Well, I am curious. But not so curious as—interested."

"I hope you are not falling in love with me." Her deep voice had risen to a higher register and was light and gay.

"I am half in love with you. I don't know what is going to happen."

"And you want to protect yourself by disenchantment?" "Perhaps."

"And you think it is my duty?" "Possibly. I'd fall in love with you anyway, but I'd like to know whether—before a constitutional hatred of mystery outside of action and the drama."

"Ah!" She gazed into the fire.

"You have every right to be. Suppose—suppose that something should occur to rouse the suspicions of the Countess Zattiany's old friends and they should start investigations in Vienna?"

"They would not see her—nor their emissaries. Dr. Steinach's sanitarium is inviolate."

"Steinach—Steinach—where have I heard that name lately?" Her eyes flew open, but she lowered them immediately. Her voice shook slightly as she replied: "He is a very great doctor. He will keep poor Mary's secret as long as she lives and nobody in Vienna would doubt his word. Investigations would be useless."

"She is there then? I suppose you mean that she is dying of an incurable disease or has lost her mind. But do not imagine that I care to pry further into that. I never had the least idea that you had—Oh, I don't know what to believe! ... Won't you ever tell me?"

"I wonder! No, I think not! No!"

"There is something then?" "Do you know why you still harp on that absurd idea that I am what I am and still am not? Do you not know what it is—the simple explanation?"

"No, I do not."

"It is merely that European women, the women who have been raised in the intrigues of courts and the artifices of what we call 'the World,' who learn the technique of gallantry as soon as they are lances, where men make a definite cult of women and women of men, where sincerity in such an atmosphere is more baffling than subtlety and guile—that is the reason your American girl is never understood by foreign men—where naturalness is despised as gauche and art commands homage, where, in short, the game is everything—that most aristocratic and enthralling of all games—the game of chess, with men and women as kings, queens, pawns. ... There you have the whole explanation of my apparent riddle. You have never met any one like me before."

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LONDON — "Prehandling" is a profitable occupation in London. Take the case of a 70-year-old man straggled in Thames police court for begging. A constable testified he had found nearly \$1,000 on the aged mendicant's person. The prisoner was given a choice of a \$100 fine or three months' imprisonment. He paid the fine.

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BAKER LAUGHS.
Cleveland, O., Jan. 18.—Newton D. Baker, formerly secretary of war, laughed when he read a dispatch from St. Petersburg Fla., that he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president.
"Nothing is further from my thoughts than a candidacy for any political office," he said.

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MALE OR FEMALE—\$36.00 per week guaranteed. Steady work at home all winter. No canvassing. Enclose stamp for particulars. Marion Mirore Co., Marion, Ohio. 1-12-17

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to take care of a farm home. 1-1-17

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Shepard, 6 Ave B. 1-15-17

WANTED—Look for employees at Jan. school. Apply to supervisor. 1-17-17

Wanted (girl) for general housework. Mrs. P. J. Meyer. 910 4th St. 1-17-17

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SALESMEN WANTED—An old established, well-rated manufacturing concern want a sales representative for this territory. Garages, auto parts, dairies, buildings, stores, etc., etc. our products regularly. Full commission paid on mail business. Permanent and profitable connection is offered man who will work. Give full information about yourself. Address P. O. Box 194, Indianapolis, Ind. 1-17-17

ELLER BRUSH COMPANY has opening for salesman in the Bismarck section. Experience not necessary. Opportunity for advancement. Write Box 19, Bismarck for interview. 1-16-17

WORK WANTED

WANTED—High school student wants work after school and Saturdays. Anyone having work, please notify Arnold Cox, McKenzie, N. D. 1-12-17

IF IN NEED of an experienced hand to tend your furnace, phone 404W. Can build fires early in the morning. 1-15-17

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WANTED—Good farms at right price. J. Morten-on, Moorhead, Minn. 1-18-17

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WE MATCH your trade. Write full particulars and get our plan. Returns will follow. The Service Company, Moorhead, Minn. Box 339. 1-18-17

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two warm rooms in modern home, within two blocks of Postoffice. Each room suitable for two. Board if desired. 215 3rd St. 1-16-17

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, steam heated, for light housekeeping. "The Lorraine Apts." Phone 403. B. F. Flanagan, propr. 1-17-17

BOARD AND ROOM—For two ladies in modern home. May have free use of piano. 205 Mandan Ave. 1-16-17

FOR RENT—Front room in modern home. Mrs. Ed. White. 417 5th street. Phone 482W. 1-16-17

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping on 1st floor modern house. Phone 811. 1-16-17

FOR RENT—Warm south room in modern home, two blocks west of Postoffice. 201 First St. 1-14-17

FOR RENT—Large front room in modern home at reasonable price. 211 2nd St. Phone 832M. 1-17-17

FOR RENT—Three good unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Call at 803 7th St. 1-17-17

FOR RENT—Beautiful room in a new modern warm home. Phone 682. 1-14-17

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FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 11 4th St. Phone 627R. 1-18-17

AUTOMOBILE—MOTORCYCLES

THREE BARGAINS
FOR SALE—The Jack Bennett 7-passenger Cadillac eight; Paige big six 4-passenger speedster and 1923 Ford Coupe. See us about these before they are sold. Act quickly. 1-17-17

R. E. LOUBEK MOTOR CO.

WANTED—To hear from party with enclosed car for sale. Must be reasonably reasonable. Call at 219 7th St. or Phone 1090-J. 1-14-17

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To hear from owner with 6 room residence to sell or good building lot. Tribune No. 703. 1-14-17

FOR SALE—One electric washing machine. One sanitary cot with mattress. Phone 479. 1-14-17

WANTED—Large clean cotton rags. Three cents per pound, Bismarck. Tribune 25. 1-12-17

enormous lighthouse in memory of Christopher Columbus soon to be erected in San Domingo

MARKET NEWS

WHEAT EASES AT CHICAGO

Reported Large Foreign Shipments Hurts Trading

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Wheat eased down as a result partly of reported large shipments from Argentina and Australia. After opening unchanged to 1-4 cents off; May \$1.08 3/4 to \$1.09 and July \$1.07 1/4 to \$1.07 3/8, the market showed losses all around.

Further declines took place in the first part of the day. Argentine wheat was quoted at equal to about 10 cents per bushel under domestic. Some Pacific Coast wheat shipped via the Panama canal was reported as due at New York for use of domestic mills in the immediate future. Prices closed weak, one-half to 3/4 to 3/8 cents net lower, with May \$1.08 1/4 to \$1.08 1/4 to 3/8 cents, and July \$1.06 7/8.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Hog receipts, 56,000. Moderately active. Uneven, mostly, to 5 to 20 cents lower than yesterday's average or fully 25 cents under yesterday's best price. Top \$7.25.

Cattle receipts, 5,000. Strong. Spots unevenly lower on short fat steers of value to sell at \$9.50 down ward.

Sheep receipts, 14,000. Fairly active. Steady, good and heavy wooled lambs mostly 13 1/2 to 15 1/2.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

Minneapolis, Jan. 18.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 46,187 barrels. Brn unchanged, \$25.50 to \$27.

ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Cattle receipts, 1,300. Moderately active and generally steady prices. Top load lot steers early, \$8.25. Several other loads held somewhat higher. Bulk steers and yearlings, \$6 to \$8. Fat she-stock, \$5.25 to \$7.40. Bully early \$6 and down. Canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$2.55. Bologna bulls, \$3.75 to \$4.55. Stockers and feeders in light supply at firm prices. Early sales largely, \$4.75 to \$6. Calves receipts, 1,200. Strong. Quality considerably lower. Packers largely, \$9 to \$9.25.

Hog receipts, 14,500. Averaging fully 25 cents lower. Bulk desirable 15 to around 225-pound averages.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN

Minneapolis, Jan. 18.—Wheat receipts, 113 cars, compared with 282 cars a year ago. Cash No. 1 northern \$1.12 7/8 to \$1.16 7/8, No. 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy, \$1.20 7/8 to \$1.25 7/8, good to choice, \$1.16 7/8 to \$1.19 7/8; cash, No. 1 to good, \$1.12 7/8 to \$1.16 7/8, May, \$1.12 7/8, July, \$1.14 1/4, September, \$1.14 1/4.

Corn No. 1 yellow, 70 1/4 to 71 1/4 cents; No. 2 yellow, 68 1/4 to 69 1/4 cents; No. 3 yellow, 66 1/4 to 67 1/4 cents; No. 4 yellow, 64 1/4 to 65 1/4 cents; No. 5 yellow, 62 1/4 to 63 1/4 cents; No. 6 yellow, 60 1/4 to 61 1/4 cents; No. 7 yellow, 58 1/4 to 59 1/4 cents; No. 8 yellow, 56 1/4 to 57 1/4 cents; No. 9 yellow, 54 1/4 to 55 1/4 cents; No. 10 yellow, 52 1/4 to 53 1/4 cents; No. 11 yellow, 50 1/4 to 51 1/4 cents; No. 12 yellow, 48 1/4 to 49 1/4 cents; No. 13 yellow, 46 1/4 to 47 1/4 cents; No. 14 yellow, 44 1/4 to 45 1/4 cents; No. 15 yellow, 42 1/4 to 43 1/4 cents; No. 16 yellow, 40 1/4 to 41 1/4 cents; No. 17 yellow, 38 1/4 to 39 1/4 cents; No. 18 yellow, 36 1/4 to 37 1/4 cents; No. 19 yellow, 34 1/4 to 35 1/4 cents; No. 20 yellow, 32 1/4 to 33 1/4 cents; No. 21 yellow, 30 1/4 to 31 1/4 cents; No. 22 yellow, 28 1/4 to 29 1/4 cents; No. 23 yellow, 26 1/4 to 27 1/4 cents; No. 24 yellow, 24 1/4 to 25 1/4 cents; No. 25 yellow, 22 1/4 to 23 1/4 cents; No. 26 yellow, 20 1/4 to 21 1/4 cents; 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COULTER PLAN NOT OPPOSED

Equity Against It—Officers Are Named

PAL MORAN MEETS DUNDEE

St. Louis, Jan. 18—Pal Moran of New Orleans will engage with Jimmy Dundee, a featherweight champion in a 15-round bout at Madison Square Garden, New York, Feb. 1. It was announced here today, Moran is in St. Louis for a fight with Billy "Kid" Wagner.

SAYS BAKER IS CANDIDATE

Former Secretary of War Held Presidential Aspirant

St. Petersburg, Fla., Jan. 18—Milton C. Baker, formerly secretary of the Navy, today announced that he was a candidate for the presidency.

BAKER LAUGHS

Cleveland, O., Jan. 18—Newton D. Baker, formerly secretary of war, laughed when he read a dispatch from St. Petersburg, Fla., that he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president.

D. B. Cook Grocery

CELERY HEAD LETTUCE NEW CABBAGE WASHED PARSNIPS CARROTS TOMATOES

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STRAWBERRIES AND CREAM

Bismarck Food Market

Free Delivery SPECIALS For Saturday

Kellogg's Bran facts! Set yourself straight on these Bran facts!

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